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Students sent home for violations

School officials say colored hair goes against dress code

By Michael Heil
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY SCHOOLS

Green hair, pink hair and purple hair. To students with the vibrant hair, it's a way to express themselves.

To administrators in the Granite City School District, it's a violation of the school's dress code policy and a means by which a student can be sent home or suspended.

No one knows this better than 15-year-old Kyle Schreiber, who, along with several students, was sent home Wednesday for attending school with dyed hair. Kyle dyed his green.

"I don't want to be the same as somebody else,'' said Kyle, who is a member of the school's hockey team.

Kyle's father, Doug Schreiber, is one of who believes that the policy restricts Kyle's individuality.

"Obviously they are taking

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Going up

Tim Stephenson photo

Vincent Bombough of Granite City cuts a cinder block to fit in a section of the north wall of the new Walgreens store that is under construction in Granite City.

Village officials try to remove Crouch

Ex-chief faces misconduct charges

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

Pontoon Beach Village officials are seeking to have former Police Chief Michael Crouch removed from the police department.

PONTOON BEACH

The Pontoon Beach Board of Police Commissioners will consider 16 separate counts of misconduct against Crouch -- now a captain -- at a hearing set for 6 p.m. Wednesday.

This action comes just weeks after Crouch filed a defamation lawsuit against members and supporters of the New Beginnings Party and a separate small-claims suit seeking back pay from the village.

Crouch has been a captain since the appointment of Gary Wallace as police chief after the April elections. Crouch was a supporter of then-Mayor Glen Wilson, who was defeated by former Police Captain Jim Denham, head of the New Beginnings Party.

The hearing had been set for Wednesday but was postponed to give proper legal notice to newspapers.

Village Attorney Eric Evans said Wallace has brought 16 counts of misconduct against Crouch for various acts over about a 14-month period, both as police chief and as captain.

According to an Aug. 18 letter from Wallace to the board, Crouch has been accused of removing and altering vacation and other logs from the department; selective enforcement of the law by singling out individuals due to personal dislike for them or their family; attempted to coerce officers and dispatchers to vote for and support Wilson in the mayoral election; failed to meet with someone on May 20 who placed a 911 call; criticized "a legitimate order'' of the police chief; ridiculed both the chief and mayor in newspaper articles; incurring more than $1,000 in cellular telephone bills on a department-supplied telephone, the vast majority being personal calls; responding to a June 9 emergency call in a condescending and disrespectful manner; and physically assaulting Madison County Board Member Don Rea on July 14.

Rea is Crouch's brother-in-law and is a defendant in the defamation suit.

Evans said the charges are unrelated to Crouch's lawsuits.

Attorney Brian Polinske, who is representing Crouch in his defamation suit, said it appeared that some of the charges were politically motivated.

Polinske served as village attorney prior to the election.

He said another attorney is representing Crouch on complaints from his time as police chief, but did not know who it was.

Crouch could not be reached for comment.

Grand jury takes no action against Bathon

Criminal investigation may be over

By Dennis Grubaugh
Staff writer

A criminal investigation into Madison County Treasurer Fred Bathon likely ended Thursday when a grand jury refused to take action concerning the former auditor's "flower fund."

"Nothing could be tied criminally to anybody,'' Special Prosecutor Ed Parkinson said at the end of the three-hour session in Madison County Circuit Court. "I think this is the end of it."

Parkinson said he would issue a report on the investigation sometime today.

Nine past and present employees of Bathon answered questions in front of the grand jury, in a proceeding that by law was closed to the public. The jury had the option of doing nothing, indicting Bathon or issuing a report. It chose to do nothing.

During a brief session in his office immediately after the end of the grand jury findings, Bathon read a statement while surrounded by his staff, including some of those who testified.

"I want to say how proud I am of my office staff, who has worked diligently and efficiently during this time when our every act was being scrutinized," Bathon said. "I am confident we will continue to service the public in a courteous and professional manner."

Bathon took no questions, and he and the staff members left the room as a group.

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'Horror' welcomes SIUE students

Cult movie classic is part of college 'Welcome Week'

By Curtiss A. Hartley
Staff Writer

Curtiss Hartley photo

SIUE students dance as part of the annual Rocky Horror Picture

The moon was nearly full, and dozens of strangely-dressed college students converged on a hill-side to watch -- check that -- participate in the cult-classic movie, "The Rocky Horror Picture Show."

It was the sixth annual Rocky Horror Picture Show Festival at SIUE's Welcome Week, sponsored by the Student Government Association.

April Orlick, a junior from Crystal Lake, is the chairperson of the Special Events Committee. Orlick and others on the committee distributed bags with popcorn, water pistols, newspapers and toilet paper to everyone who showed up for the viewing. These props, as those familiar with the show know, are used as atmosphere in a low-tech version of sensory theater.

"This is our complete objective, to get the students involved,'' Orlick said. "Since so many of them don't live on campus, we want to get them on campus, get them involved, get them to meet new

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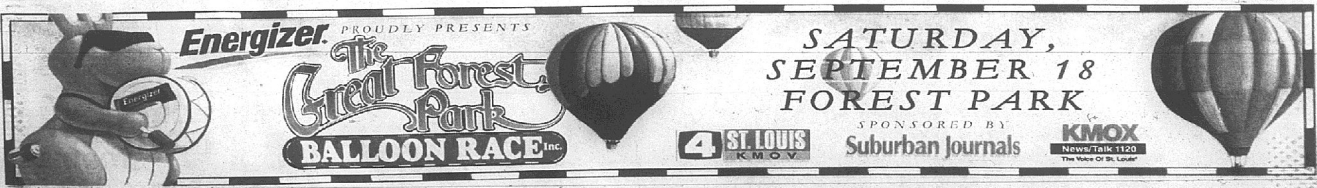

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Council OKs Nameoki annexation

200 homes brought into city; some upset

By Michael Heil
Staff writer

GRANITE CITY

People in Nameoki Township will not have to wait any longer to see if the Granite City Council will forcibly annex land from the township into the city.

Aldermen Tuesday night unanimously annexed an area on the east end of town. They were able to do so with little difficulty because it is wholly encompassed by the city and is less than 60 acres, as provided by state law.

About 200 homes will be affacted by the annexation. Most lie off Maryville Road and are located on Stratford Lane, Westmoreland and Cambridge drives, Buenger Boulevard and Village and Ivy lanes.

Nameoki Township Clerk Helen Hawkins, who was at the meeting to speak before the aldermen on behalf of township residents opposing the annexation, said she was disgusted with the council's decision.

""I can't believe this happened,'' Hawkins said. ""I think it's terribly wrong that people have been forced into Granite City. Now they're going to be taxed more.''

According to Second Ward Alderman Craig Tarpoff, the tax increase will come to about $9.20 a month, or about $110.40 a year, for an average homeowner for a home valued in the neighborhood of $75,000. To lesson the tax burden, Tarpoff said, the council agreed to cut the city's bridge and road tax in half over a three-year period for people who are part of the township and Granite City.

As another part of the flip side, said Dan Brown, director of economic development for Granite City, residents may see their homeowners insurance drop about $30 a year. He also said they will not pay a fire department fee and as much for garbage service.

Park district trip set to Indiana

The Granite City Park District's three-day trip set for October will travel to Dubois County in Southern Indiana.

The fall trip will be an "Old World'' adventure filled with everything from apple strudel, accordion music, German food, architecture and autumn foliage.

The dates of the trip are Oct. 13, through Oct. 15, and the date of signup will be 8 a.m. Thursday at the Wilson Park Ice Rink.

Day one of the trip will include a motorcoach ride to Ferdinand, where the noon meal will be at the Kordes Enrichment Center on the grounds of the Monastery Immaculate Conception.

After touring there, a stop will be made at the gift shop, "For Heaven's Sake,'' before going to the Best Chairs Factory for a tour in the afternoon.

The second day will begin with a full hot breakfast at the Best Western Dutchman Inn in Huntingburg, Ind., where the group will have lodging for the two nights.

Day three will include a tour of Kimball International showroom that will showcase products made locally by the Fortune 500 company in Jasper, Ind. A short visit will be made to St. Joseph's Church before lunch at the nearby Queen City Cafe.

The cost of the trip is $262 for a single, $237 per person for a double room, $212 each for three to a room and $202 per person for four to a room. Residents of the Granite City Park District will have priority in making reservations, with non-residents placed on a waiting list.

Pet adoption program set for Sept. 4

The Metro East Humane Society will hold an Adopt-A-Pet Day at PetsMart on Route 50 in O'Fallon from noon to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 4.

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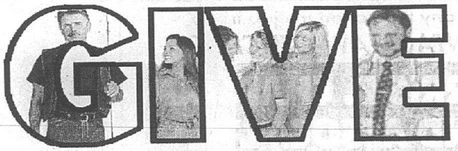

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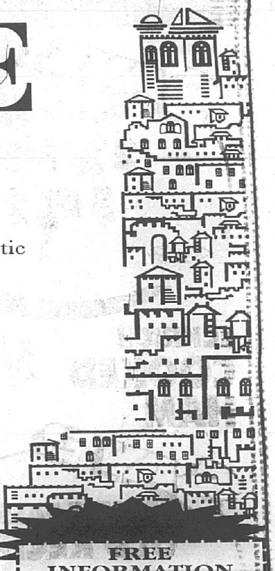

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Task force taking hard look at death penalty

Speakers ask for consideration of hiatus on executions

By April Calvin
Staff writer

Since Illinois reinstated capital punishment in 1977, 12 people have been executed and 12 have been exonerated.

Many ask if Illinois should consider a hiatus on the death penalty. A task force composed of lawyers, activists, religious leaders and private citizens spoke Wednesday at a capital punishment review hearing in the St. Clair County courthouse.

Created by a resolution of the general assembly, the task force was convened to assess citizen opinions on the issue and to entertain suggestions for improving policy. The most gripping testimony came from those witnesses who told their own personal stories of grief and recovery.

Only occasional sniffles broke the silence as Renny Cushing spoke of his father's murder in 1988. Cushing told how a friend, trying to comfort him, had hoped aloud that the murderer "fried."

"He implied," said Cushing, "that the murderer took not only my father's life, but also my values. I do not heal by having pain put upon the family of my father's murderer."

Cushing is now the executive director of Murder Victims' Families for Reconciliation, based in Massachusetts.

"I don't think the state should be about killing people," Cushing said.

Another private citizen, Paul Stevens, credited God with his recovery from the grief that engulfed him after his daughter's 1969 murder. Stevens became a frequent visitor to death row as part of his healing, forging close relationships with some of the inmates.

"One thing that's struck me is that I haven't met any rich people on death row, so I have to assume that rich people don't commit murders," Stevens said.

The disparity between rich and poor and black and white, was remarked by other witnesses. Madison County Public Defender John Rakowski noted that capital punishment falls disproportionately on people of color and low socio-economic status.

"In our culture they are often the same thing. The poor are given very little evidence that their lives are of any value," said Lena Waltering, coordinator for a Catholic women's organization.

Amnesty International's Midwest director, Nancy Bothne, cited statistics on death row inmates by race. In Illinois, fully 67 percent of those awaiting execution are African American, compared with 48 percent nationally.

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>
> **Paul Stevens**
> Forum speaker

Several witnesses pressed for Illinois to adopt a racial justice act, like that recently implemented in Kentucky. The act introduced in Kentucky allows capital defendants alleging racial bias to introduce as evidence statistics to that effect.

Bothne said, "It prohibits the state from relying solely on the assertion that racism does not exist."

Bothne and others spoke of disenfranchised groups' lack of faith in a system that is riddled with imperfections and fraught with mistakes.

"We have a bias in support of the death penalty," Cushing said.

It is generally assumed that Illinois citizens are in favor of capital punishment because few protests have been lodged. No figures on public opinion were available.

"If you want to hear a public outcry against capital punishment, have a public execution," Carl Scherer of the Belleville Catholic Diocese said.

Executions are not economically advantageous, said Elsie Speck of the Southern Illinois Coalition for a Moratorium on the Death Penalty. She cited statistics from Florida, where executions cost an average of $3.2 million, and Texas, where costs averaged $2.3 million. The expenditure, she claimed, was almost three times that of keeping an inmate imprisoned for 40 years.

Robert Burke, from the State Appellate office, but emphasizing that he was appearing as a private citizen, recommended an IQ of 70 as a cutoff for executions.

Burke, who has worked with mentally retarded clients for years, said those with IQs below 70 were unable to understand the process.

"It goes against decency to execute the mentally retarded," said Ron Taback from the American Bar Association.

"Amnesty International opposes all forms of execution as a violation of human rights," Bothne stated. She added that if capital punishment was to continue, then the mentally retarded and mentally ill should be excluded. Of those freed, the state had nothing to do with uncovering the evidence that cleared them, according to Reverend Dennis Harper. All were cleared because of the efforts of outside parties.

"We don't rape rapists, we don't burglarize burglar's homes. I don't understand why we murder murderers," Harper said.

Several speakers also touted reform. Taback, speaking for ABA, said that the margin of error is too great in Illinois to continue with executions. He noted the need for revision of legal procedures, as did local defense attorney John Ogara. Most of the speakers, and most of those present, were strongly against the death penalty for any offense. One dissenting voice belonged to Bill Haine, Madison County State's attorney.

"The death penalty is an important part of the criminal justice system," said Haine, citing the goal of retribution that he called the root of law. Numerous others appeared before the task force as witnesses, including St. Clair County State's Attorney Bob Haida, Rev. Roger Corbin, Father Jim Buerster and Father Tom Miller.

The task force will meet next in Chicago's State of Illinois Building on Sept. 15 and 16 at 9 a.m.

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Meeting on bridge goes well, Papa says

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

While no decisions were made, Madison County Board Chairman Rudy Papa said a meeting about the McKinley Bridge went well.

The task force to find a solution to ongoing financial problems at the bridge — most recently the City of St. Louis' attempts to sell the western portion for back taxes — met Wednesday in St. Louis.

"It went fine, we had good representation," Papa said Friday. "Everybody that I asked to be at the meeting was there."

The most immediate concern is paying the back taxes — about $500,000 for 1994-1996. The City of Venice recently delayed ST. Louis' problem for three months by paying the city $58,000, but Mayor Tyrone Echols has said the city could not afford to do so again.

Venice stopped paying taxes because the money was needed as a local match for a $7.5 million rehabilitation project on the bridge's eastern approaches.

Because of declining traffic and added maintenance expenses, Venice never resumed paying the taxes. The city challenged the tax, but it was upheld in Missouri courts.

If Venice would lose control of the bridge, it would effectively kill a $12 million rehabilitation project. That would force the bridge to close within a few years — or sooner if monthly maintenance is not performed on the western approaches.

Papa said Venice does have the money, but that has been earmarked for design work on the bridge, putting the city in a catch-22 situation.

"If Venice paid those taxes now they would have insufficient funds for the rehab project," Papa said. "If the design work is funded and the taxes are not paid, the western approach would not belong to the city. We'd like to see the bridge restored to a sound condition, both physically and financially."

That means the task force must come up with at least part of the money necessary to pay those taxes, but Papa said nobody has come forward yet.

"I just hope that the problem can be resolved," he said. "We need that bridge.

"Even when the new bridge comes in 10 years down the road, the McKinley Bridge will play a vital role," he said.

The bridge's financial situation has become more and more precarious in the past year.

Last October the city defaulted on $4 million in bonds owed on the bridge. An agreement between the city and bondholders was finally reached, but the interest rate on the outstanding bonds was tripled to six percent from two percent.

The city has also doubled the inspections and maintenance on the bridge since 1994. It was the cost of those measures — requested by the Illinois Department of Transportation as a safety precaution — that forced the city to choose to stop payment of property taxes to the City of St. Louis.

Recent traffic studies have shown decreasing ridership on the bridge and it seems unlikely that those vehicles will return, especially with the prospect of a new bridge just about one mile to the south.

An easement agreement worth $250,000 per year with the Terminal Railroad Association also expired recently.

School Menus

Week of Aug. 30-Sept.3

Granite City Schools

MONDAY, Aug. 30 — Breakfast: Pancake and sausage rollup with syrup, apricots and milk; Lunch: Pizza slices, tossed salad with light dressing, pineapple chunks and milk.

TUESDAY, Aug. 31 — Breakfast: Cinnamon Tastries, pear halves and milk; lunch: Barbecued rib on bun, corn on the cob, mixed fruit and milk.

WEDNESDAY, Sept. 1 — Breakfast: Breakfast pizza, mixed fruit and milk; Lunch: Chef salad with ham and cheese served with light dressing and crackers, fresh orange wedges and milk.

THURSDAY, Sept. 2 — Breakfast: Cereal, toast and jelly, banana and milk; Lunch: Toasted ravioli with meat sauce, cheese bread, green beans, sliced peaches and milk.

FRIDAY, Sept. 3 — Breakfast: Pop Tarts, cup of cherries and milk; Lunch: Grilled cheese sandwiches, macaroni and cheese, celery and carrot sticks, fruit cup and milk.

Puppy photos to be taken

Wolf Camera will be taking puppy photos at the 1999 Wag and Walk at Edwardsville High School.

For only $10, dog owners will receive three, four by six inch prints and the negatives. The prints must be picked up at Wolf Camera at St. Clair Square in Fairview Heights. The photos will be taken beginning at 9:30 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 11.

Edwardsville High School is located at 6161 Center Grove Road, off Highway 157.

The Metro East Humane Society will receive the proceeds from the pet photos.

For more information call Hallie Lakin, director at 656-4405.

Advertising Correction

Due to manufacturer's inability to deliver the Pfaltzgraff Salerno dinnerware, shown on page 44 of today's Back to School catalog, the product will not be available. No rainchecks will be issued.
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Program offers teachers bonuses/

Gov. George Ryan signed a bill Aug. 16 which creates the Illinois Teaching Excellence Program.

Sen. Watson (R-Greenville) sponsored the Senate Bill 1054, which provides funding for teachers attaining master certification and those mentoring other teachers. The bill takes effect Jan. 1, 2000.

"We'd like to bring another level of professionalism to teaching," said Watson. "That's important in a vocation that is often viewed as aking to babysitting."

Teachers who pursue their own educations will receive more than moral support.

"The state will help those individuals with the financial expense and a one time $3,000 stipend," said Watson.

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Obituaries

Richard Long

RICHARD LONG, 57, of Highland, died at 2:39 p.m. Wednesday, Aug. 25, 1999 at St. Joseph's Hospital in Highland.

He was born Aug. 8, 1942 in East St. Louis. Mr. Long was a U.S. Navy veteran. He owned and operated the family business, Richard's Towing in Granite City and was a member of the Masonic Lodge.

He is survived by four sons, Dennis Long of Chicago, Timothy Long of Granite City, Matthew Scarborough and Nathan Scarborough, both of Sorento; a daughter, Carla Long of Long Island New York; three sisters, Dorothy Gibson of Worden, Roberta Hull of Dupo and Georgeann Reeves of Gillespie, and five granchildren, Trevor, Ian and Abby Long of Chicago, and Kati and Kira Long of Granite City.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William H. and RueAnn (Mitchell) Long.

Thomas Mortuary in Granite City handled the arrangements.

Memorials in his honor have been established with the Leukemia Society of America, Illinois Chapter, Account #290041, P.O. Box 75283, Baltimore, MD 21275.

Ruby Jones

RUBY MAE (CHARLETON) JONES, 85, of Carlyle, formerly of Granite City, died Thursday, Aug. 26 at Carlyle Healthcare Center.

She was born Sept. 13, 1913 in Dover, Tenn. Mrs. Jones was a nurse's aid at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City and member of Carlyle Christian Church.

She is survived by a daughter, Janet Kunick of Carlyle; two sons, William Charleton of Collinsville and Jerome Jones of Blue Springs, Mo.; two sisters, Sylvia Edwards and Dorothy Teller, both of Granite City; nine grandchildren, Caryl McClasky, David Jones, Jeaneen Kidwell, Greg Jones, Jim Kunick, John Kunick, Judi Brenstein, Lee Jones, and Mykel Jones, and 16 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Herby A. Jones; a sister, Grace Robinson; two brothers, Gordon Charleton and George Charleton, and a great-granddaughter, Maggie Jones.

Visitation will be from 5 to 7:30 p.m. on Monday at Zieren Day Funeral Home in Carlyle and from 9 to 10:30 a.m. on Tuesday at Suburban Baptist Church in Granite City. Funeral services will be at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the funeral home and 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at the church with the Revs. Don Walters and John Kidwell officiating. Burial will be in St. John's Cemetery in Granite City.

Memorials may be made to Carlyle Christian Church Building Fund or Bethel Baptist Building Fund.

James Stonesifer

JAMES L. TATUM STONESIFER, 58, of St. Louis, died at 1:20 a.m. Monday, July 26, 1999 at his residence.

He was born in Illinois. Mr. Stonesifer was a laborer for over 30 years and of the Baptist Faith.

He is survived by his wife, Freida Stonesifer of Caseyville; three sons, Mike Stonesifer of Collinsville, Wayne Stonesifer and Rola Stonesifer, both of Caseyville; two daughters, Rita Stonesifer of Caseyville, and Tharisa Loughala of Florida; three brothers, Frank Tatum of North Dakota, David Stonesifer of Troy, and John Stonesifer of St. Louis; three sisters, Charo Sherfy, Blance Arriaga, and Becky Gordon, all of Granite City, and 11 grandchildren.

Mr. Stonesifer was cremated. His remains are in St. Clair Memorial Park Cemetery in Fairview Heights.

Marina Brugger

MARINA A. (HENRICH) BRUGGER, 94, of Wood River, died Wednesday, Aug. 25, 1999 at Barnes Hospital in St. Louis.

She was born Aug. 5, 1905 in Murphysboro. Mrs. Brugger owned and operated the Vogur Flower Shop in Wood River and was employed in the fabrics department of Sears. She was a past member of D of I, Women of the Moose and St. Ann's Altar Society at St. Kevins Catholic Church in Rosewood Heights.

She is survived by four daughters, Armella Brugger of Wood River, Mary Jane Gass of Granite City, Marita Biggerstaff of South Roxana, and Dorothy Biesk of Kendall Hill, and five grandchildren, Jeffrey and Marilyn Gass, Linda Burgess, Julie and Steven Biesk.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Anthony C. Brugger; her parents, Frank and Catherine (Weaver) Henrich; two brothers and four sisters.

Funeral services were at St. Kevins Catholic Church with the Rev. Kevin Sullivan officiating. Burial was in Roselawn Memory Gardens in Bethalto.

Shelah Decker

SHELAH MARIE (JONES) DECKER, 38, of Granite City, died at 7:17 a.m. Tuesday, Aug. 24, 1999 at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

She was born Jan. 30, 1961 in Granite City. Mrs. Decker was an operator at a telemarketing firm. She was of the Baptist faith.

She is survived by her daughter, Stephanie Decker, of Texas; four brothers, Mark Jones of Belleville, Marty Jones of Collinsville, and Joe Jones and Jimmy Jones, both of Granite City, and two sisters, Penny Brown of Texas, and Janet Carrill of Troy.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Clarence and Emogene (Crick) Jones and two brothers, David and Mike Jones.

Graveside services will be at 10 a.m. on Monday at Holy Cross Cemetery in Fairview Heights with the Rev. Henry Crippen officiating.

Werner-Mick Funeral Home in Granite City handled the arrangements.

Memorials to the family are suggested.

Vivian Hull

VIVIAN E. (WEAVER) HULL, 71, of Mitchell, died at 9 a.m. Sunday, Aug. 8, 1999 at St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City.

She was born Feb. 18, 1928, in Gideon, Mo. Mrs. Hull was a nurse's aide for Colonades Nursing Home in Granite City and a member of Peace Freewill Baptist Church in Granite City.

She is survived by her husband, Charles H. Hull; two sons, Charles T. Hull of Anchorage, Ala., and Ronald Hull of Staunton; two daughters, Marsha Wooden of Granite City, and Tonia Hull of Mitchell; a brother, John B. McCarty of Assumption; two sisters, Catherine Leslie of Lacoma, Mo., and Mildred Campbell of Granite City; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Jim and Grace (Theis) Weaver.

Funeral services were at Peace Freewill Baptist Church with the Rev. David Malone officiating. Burial was in St. John's Cemetery in Granite City.

Werner-Mick Funeral Home in Granite City handled the arrangements.

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What You Need to Know About Laser and Surgical Vision Correction

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By Edward A. Doisy, III, MD, FACS
Illinois Eye Specialists

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Organizations win competition

Three local organizations are winners of the Illinois Power Bright Ideas community grant program.

Illinois Power is awarding each organization $3,000, a total of $9,000 locally, to fund their community enhancement initiatives for the Granite City area.

"We're pleased to provide funding for the community's bright ideas for a second year," said Richard Moore, regional manager for Illinois Power. "Illinois Power is committed to supporting the communities we serve, and this program is just one way we can help make our local communities a better place to live, work and play."

The local Bright Idea award recipients and projects are as follows:

. **Granite City Public Library District** to implement "Check Out the Library," a new program offering a series of free informational sessions, and expert advice to address frequently asked questions and topics of interest.

. **Girl Scouts of America, River Bluffs Council** to support a presentation of the award-winning puppet program, "Kids on the Block," to 12 area elementary and Montessori schools. The performance teaches sensitivity awareness and encourages the acceptance of differences.

. **Village of Brooklyn** to purchase required intern work uniforms for students participating in the horticultural internship program. The program is part of the Village in Transportation project, an economic development initiative to help beautify the area.

In May, Illinois Power challenged local businesses, schools, non-profit groups and city and government agencies to submit bright ideas for improving their local communities. More than 275 entries were received from organizations throughout Illinois Power's service territory.

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Bush the Younger draws a crowd in Springfield

Candidate is first of many who will come to Capitol

By Diane Ross
Statehouse News Service

There wasn't a real Republican Day at the Illinois State Fair last week, and there won't be a real Republican primary election in Illinois next March. There's no need. At least, that's the impression gathered from a few days ago, when Texas Gov. George W. Bush stopped by the Statehouse, on his way to winning the Iowa straw poll for Republican presidential hopefuls, to scoop up the endorsements of most of Illinois' elected Republicans.

Most of Illinois' big elephants were on parade that day in Springfield. They lined up trunk-to-'ail behind the second-generation politician that Fort Worth Star-Telegram columnist Molly Ivins loves to call Bush the Younger, Little George, Dubya and the Shrub.

No less that three Illinois governors were on the stage: former chief executives Jim Thompson, Jim Edgar and current chief executive George Ryan. The only big trunks missing were some of Illinois' top Congressmen: U.S. House Speaker Dennis Hassert of Yorkville, and freshman U.S. Peter Fitzgerald of Inverness.

But Bush is only the first of the Democrats, Republicans and Independents who'll trail through the Illinois Statehouse during the 18-month presidential campaign of 2000. As appearances go, we've seen better and we'll see worse. Curiously, even the combination of the current frontrunner for the Republican governors wasn't enough to really pack the rotunda on a Thursday afternoon in August.

Too many Republican staffers on still on vacation? As usual, though, the warm-up speakers were just the count-down to the sound-bite of the day: George Ryan endorsing Bush. First came Illinois Republican chairman Manny Hoffmann and other party bigwigs.

Then came a chunk of the Illinois General Assembly. Senate Assistant Majority Leader John Maitland of Bloomington, subbing for Sen. President James "Pate" Philip of Wood Dale, read the names of the 24 Bush supporters among the 32 GOP in the 59-member Republican-controlled Senate. House Republican Leader Lee Daniels of Elmhurst read the names of the 48 Bush supporters among the 56 Republicans in the 118-member Democrat controlled House.

And here's something you should have seen. The couple of dozen legislators on hand had been waiting at the top of the marble stairs behind the portable stage.

As their names were read they walked down the stair, lined up across the stairs and, once assembled, waved Bush placards in unison.

It looked like a bad production number from a local beauty pageant. The only thing missing was Bert Parks singing the campaign hymn of the Republican.

Then came George Ryan's fellow statewide officers. Attorney General Jim Ryan spoke. Lieutenant Gov. Corrine Wood did not. Treasurer Judy Baar Topinka was out of town. Secretary of State Jesse White and Comptroller Dan Hynes didn't count; they're Democrats.

Next were Thompson and Edgar, who scored some of the strongest applause of the day without opening their mouths.

At last, accompanied by Illinois' First Lady Lura Lynn Ryan, George Ryan's wife, endorsed Bush, and finally Bush appeared.

He opened with a lame joke about how he and the diminutive Lura Lynn had both married "above" themselves, before he got into his standard conservative-mind-compassionate-heart speech.

With the endorsement collected, the speech made and the crowd quickly dispersing, Bush started shaking hands with party leaders and moving toward us reporters, who by then had been cordoned off a few feet away for a news conference. We reporters duly questioned Bush on the federal budget surplus, gun control and the national farm economy, but we also wanted his take on a couple of Illinois issues, like the federal-state battle royal over the proposed third Chicago airport in Peotone. We didn't get it.

Ryan said he had yet to mention Peotone to Bush. Doesn't anybody brief anybody anymore?

Democrat staffers taking notes at the Bush rally knew that night's closed-door session with Ryan, Edgar, Thompson and the other Republicans would be far more substantive.

Still, the Democrats must have gotten a good laugh at that one Republican gaffe. Daniels characterized Bush as a uniter not a divider. Jim Ryan lauded Bush's "vision of inclusion." George Ryan praised Bush's bipartisan tack with the Texas legislature.

U.S. Rep. Tom Ewing of Pontiac apparently was out of the loop. Republicans in Washington, Ewing enthusiastically told the crowd, "have totally shut the Democrats up.."

There was no applause.

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Parents must help improve schools

By Richard W. Riley

Back-to-school time has always been exciting for children. Its a time to meet new friends, new teachers, and resume the adventure of learning.

But back-to-school time is not just for kids anymore. If our schools are going to do the job we expect them to do, everyone must pitch in and help. That includes parents and everyone in the community.

The fact is, schools today can't do the job alone. There are more children in our schools this fall than ever before, more, even, than at the height of the baby boom.

There is more diversity. In some schools, students come from dozens of nations. We are living in the Information Age, a time when our nation's economy and security depend more on the quality of education than at any other time in our history. That's why more and more states and communities are requiring students and teachers to reach for high standards of learning, and why the public is demanding real results for its tax dollars.

So, I encourage every parent, family, and citizen to use this back-to-school season to make a personal commitment to supporting better education in their community. When children are surrounded by adults and communities that value education, they get the message that their education is important. And they're more likely to buckle down and do their best. When children see that adults and communities don't care about education, they get the opposite message, and we all lose.

To spread the message about the importance of family and community involvement in education, the U.S. Department of Education conducts a national initiative each year called "America Goes Back to School." We hold events all around the nation to stir excitement for the new school season.

This year, I'm personally taking a five-state bus tour to spread the message. I'll be traveling through Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia, South Carolina, and North Carolina. If you pass me on the highway, be sure to wave. I'll also be visiting communities in the East, West, and Midwest.

We've also prepared a colorful, fact-filled "America Goes Back to School" kit, which provides plenty of good ideas for getting involved in your schools and staying involved all year long. It's called, "Challenge Our Students and They Will Soar," and you can get a free kit by simply calling the U.S. Department of Education at 1-800-USA-LEARN, or by visiting our web site at www.ed.gov/Family/agbts.

Here are a few ideas that can get you started:

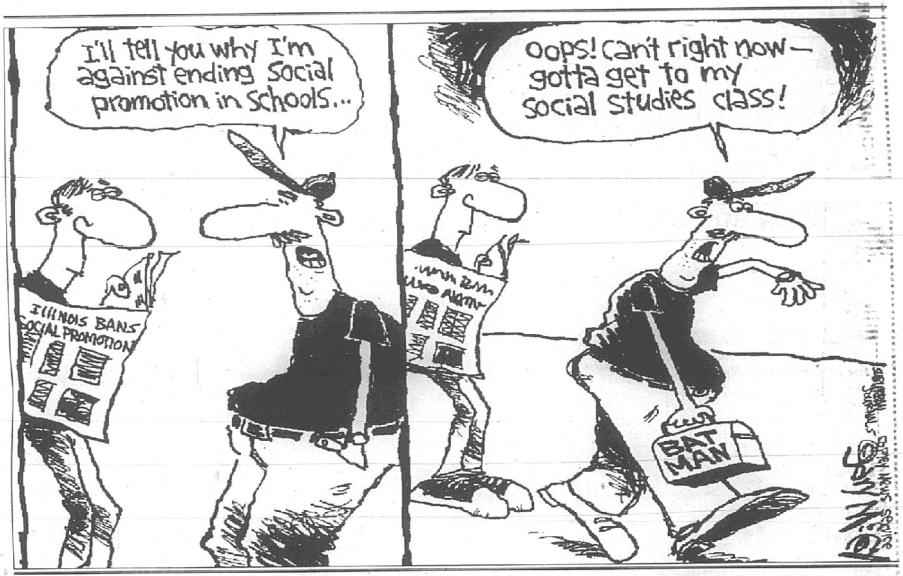
Parents: Try to slow down your lives and help your children grow. Spend at least 30 minutes a day supervising your children's education. Start early and read to your youngest children. Share books with your older children. Keep in touch with teachers. Make sure your children are doing their homework. Keep TV watching to a minimum. And talk with your children frankly about drugs and violence and the values you want them to have.

Educators, community leaders and law enforcement officials: Many communities are holding town meetings with mental health professionals to talk about troubled youths and school violence. Think about holding one in your community. Talk about ways to help troubled youths and find ways to connect each young person to at least one caring adult. Every child should feel that he or she is the most important person in an adult's life. Creating connections and a caring environment in the home, at school, and in the community is an important part of preventing violence. And work with others in your community to develop quality after-school and summer programs. Isn't it better to have children in school where they can continue learning, rather than being at home alone, or going to the mall to play violent video games?

Students: Challenge yourselves! Take the tough courses in middle and high school that will put you on the road to college and careers. Take algebra in eighth grade, geometry in high school. Take four years of a foreign language, and an Advanced Placement art, music, English, or history course. Explore tech prep and other career courses.Elementary school students should focus on reading, reading, and reading, and math, too. Develop three basic skills.

And no child should be promoted to a grade they're not ready for. Let's get rid of social promotion. No one stands taller than when they stoop down to help a child. Get involved with your community's young people, and you will stand taller and feel taller than you ever have.

Richard W. Riley is the U.S. Secretary of Education.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Every gun used in a crime should be traced

By Dick Durbin

When Benjamin Smith went on his fourth of July shooting rampage through Illinois and Indiana, he became a household name. His lethal combination of hate and guns killed two minorities and injured nine others. But what do you know about Donald Feissinger, the man who allegedly sold two guns illegally to Smith?

Because of Smith's violent past, he was unable to purchase a firearm legally. The law worked. A licensed gun dealer turned him down. Yet, he still managed to buy a gun. Smith's past did not stop Donald Feissinger from selling him the two handguns. This story is all too common.

Donald Feissinger of Pekin is 62 years old and unemployed. Government records show that he purchased at least 65 handguns in the 24 months before Smith's shooting spree.

When Smith could not buy his weapons from a legal dealer, he turned to Feissinger who sold him a .22 and .38 caliber semi-automatic pistols.

Gun traffickers and straw purchasers peddle their wares to gang members, drug dealers and hate mongers who want to avoid the law.

But, there is a way to stop these merchants of death and destruction. Law enforcement officials have sent the tools: if we can trace every gun recovered from criminals, we can identify many of the people flooding our streets with these illegal guns.

That is why I am working with the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms of the U.S. Department of the Treasury to urge more than 400 Illinois law enforcement agencies to trace every crime gun through the ATF crime gun tracing program.

Tracing is a crime-fighting task made easier by computer. Every police and sheriff's department in our state is linked to an Illinois State Police computer that can access gun records. Using this tool, the life history of a gun can be assembled and valuable information gathered. Each crime gun recovered helps law enforcement officials paint a picture that will expose gun traffickers and straw purchasers.

In Illinois we are off to an encouraging start. Since we asked local law enforcement agencies to participate in Project LEAD, the ATF's crime gun tracing program, the number of guns traced in Illinois has skyrocketed.

According to the ATF, the number of crime guns traced in Illinois has risen almost 300 percent in the last year.

One example of how crime gun tracing can save lives came from Boston, Mass. When Boston police traced every gun recovered from a Dorchester neighborhood gang, they noticed one common thread: each gun was purchased more than 1,000 miles away in Jackson, Miss. This gang was receiving its guns from a Boston-area student, Jose Andrade, who attended Jackson State College in Mississippi. When Andrade returned to his home in Boston, he became this gang's personal arms depot. Prior to Andrade's arrest, there were 91 shootings in Boston's Dorchester neighborhood.

After the arrest, there were only 21 shootings in the same period of time.

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Students sent home because of hair coloring

Policy bans outlandishly dyed hair

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away my son's civil liberties and freedom of expression,'' Doug Schreiber said.

Granite City School Superintendent Steve Balen did not know if Kyle or the other students returned to school Thursday.

In regard to the school's dress code it does not specifically mention hair color.

However, Balen said outlandishly dyed hair is prohibited under the policy's call for “"modesty and avoidance of distracting others.''

Another part of that policy includes excessive body piercing. Balen said the district will not tolerate students who attend school with excessive jewelry on their lips, nose, eyebrows or other body parts.

“The board was told by our nurses in the spring that it can be unhealthy because of infections,'' Balen said.

Festival salutes ‘Rocky Horror’

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people and graduate eventually.''

Welcome Week features a host of daily activities from the serious to the ridiculous. There are poster sales, ice-cream socials, a variety of music concerts, Greek celebrations and more. And, of course, the midnight movie classic from 1974, that still draws throngs of hecklers and star-hopefuls.

Dave Adlfinger, a graduate assistant at SIUE from Joliet, is there to support the Special Events Committee. He's seen the event on campus several times.

“There are a lot that are gung-ho and really into it, and others who just come to kind of be a spectator,'' Adlfinger said. He thinks the Rocky Horror Picture Show fills a niche in the campus' first week activities. "We're always looking for something different to get the students involved,'' he said.

Maralina Feeney, a junior from Edwardsville, has attended SIUE's RHPS festival twice before, and does her part to involve other students.

"I always try to bring somebody new every time," Feeney said. This time she brought along first-timer Crystal Mausfield, a freshman from Edwardsville.

Another pair of students represents a similar scenario. Nikki Roetemayer, a sophomore from Centralia owns the video, and has been to many screenings.

"It's fun. I just love it," Roetemayer said.

This time she brought along a friend, senior Kim McLaren of Washington D.C., who is another first-timer to a big-screen viewing of the movie.

McLaren sums up why so many people enjoy coming to the film time after time. "It's just a great movie. It's one of those things where you go from being a normal person by day, to watching this and becoming a freak."

Many spCectators were dressed in mardi-gras-style attire mimicking the characters in the film. Some of them were obvious first-timers, following the lead of friends who gave them the inside scoop. But others knew seemingly every line of the movie, often saying them with the characters. Other times, common questions, remarks or epithets were yelled at the screen, eliciting laughs and cheers from the crowd.

One of the costumed spectators was Becky Sass, a freshman from Mone, Ill. She claims to have attended the film nearly every weekend for almost three straight months at either Merrilville, Ind. Or Glenwood.

"I saw it my first time when I was 17," Sass said. "My best friends, the evil people that they were, took me."

"I was close to being a cast member-I was almost Janet, but they stopped for the summer," she said. Her advice for first-timers: "get over the torture, and just stand up and participate."

Orlick seemed amazed as she looked around at the crowd of 100 or so enjoying the feature, and chiming in with their favorite lines from the film.

"These people know everything," she said. "This is great. And we've got a full moon too."

"I think when you watch it in a big group like this, the fun is not even watching the movie. It's just having too much fun watching everyone else," she said.

"It'll be a big mess to clean up, but it's worth it."

Bathon investigation ends with no action

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His attorney, John Rekowski of Collinsville, declined to expand on the statement.

Bathon has proclaimed his innocence since December, when county Auditor H. Jack Frandsen accused him of forcing workers to pay “lugs” — a political contribution — during the 10 years that Bathon was auditor.

Bathon was elected treasurer last November and took the new office in December. Frandsen was appointed to succeed him as auditor by the Madison County Board.

The allegations regarding lugs surfaced a short time after Bathon publicly criticized the selection of Frandsen to succeed him as auditor.

Parkinson said testimony “went right down the line,” with employees defending the fund as a useful means of collecting for flowers, sympathy cards and minor office goods. Workers contributed between $5 and $30 each pay period, every two weeks, he said

There was no record of how the fund was used nor how much money may have been in it.

The most unusual item purchased was an exercise bike for the office staff, authorities said.

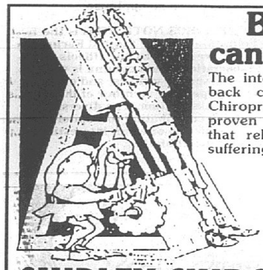
The collection of the fund ceased in December, after Frandsen made his allegations.

Employees said they did not feel forced into contributing to the fund.

“They asked (in grand jury questioning) if anybody ever felt pressured, and I said absolutely not,” Chief Deputy Treasurer Rich Hampton said. “I thought (the fund) was normal. I had one when I worked at Kroger's.”

Frandsen had been among witnesses subpoenaed to testify several weeks ago at an earlier grand jury session that was called off when Bathon's 17-year-old daughter, Jessica, was killed in a freak accident at Arlington Golf Course near Granite City. Frandsen was not among witnesses subpoenaed to testify during Thursday's session.

He told reporters that he is satisfied that the investigation reached the proper conclusion



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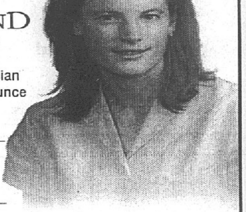

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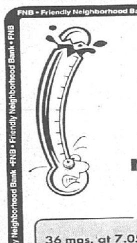

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Collinsville couple seeking donations

By Val McDowell
Staff writer

Nancy and Gary Lorentzen of Collinsville are turning to the public to get assistance for their son, Michael.

They took custody of Michael, 9, in 1994 when they became his foster parents. They adopted him in 1997.

Michael was diagnosed in 1996 with a debilitating illness called, Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy, which is caused by a missing X chromosome and a protein called Dystrophin.

Effects of the illness include loss of mobility, and as the body weakens, the loss of life. Only males are diagnosed with the illness, but it is passed on through the female parent.

Michael recently lost the use of his legs, and has to be carried from the downstairs to the family living quarters upstairs on a routine basis.

The Lorentzens have three adopted children, Michael's two younger sisters, Rosanna, 8, and Tacy, 5.

Each had been diagnosed with Fetal Alcohol Syndrome and Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder.

Nancy said she and her husband have dedicated their lives to the foster care/and or adoption of children with special needs.

Gary works at Motor Coils in St. Louis, and Nancy is a homemaker, and has recently began to conduct workshops on areas she has special training in. She also serves as an educational surrogate parent.

Nancy said Michael needs constant assistance for the most simple and routine of tasks, including restroom use and showers.

His days begin and end the same way, with a stretching of the legs, a process that takes approximately 15 minutes.

The Lorentzen's have established a benefit fund for Michael with the help of Collinsville's Union Planter's Bank.

Because the wheelchair Michael uses does not fit through his bedroom door, and it is becoming increasingly difficult to transport him from downstairs to the upstairs, the family wants to build an accessible bathroom, and joining bedroom, which is what the funds sent to the bank will be used for.

"We expect that he'll be getting an electric wheelchair by the end of the month, but we need the additions very quickly, as soon as possible," Nancy said.

To donate to the fund, send a check or money order to Union Planters Bank at 1 Eastport Plaza Drive, Collinsville, IL 62234.

Any donation will be appreciated. Nancy said without these facilities, which are expected to cost $38,000, Michael will be totally dependent on others for the rest of his life.

For further information on the fund, call the bank at 344-2000.

Area fire fighters' MDA drive in full swing

Fire fighters in the St. Louis area stand in front of busy storefronts and at intersections, holding their boots out for donations to the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

Fire fighters have been collecting for MDA for 45 years. Last year, the Fill-the-Boot program in the St. Louis area raised $250,000.

Although the Fill-the-Boot program begins in August, most boot drives will run Labor Day weekend, Sunday, Sept. 5, and Monday, Sept. 6, in conjunction with the Jerry Lewis Labor Day Telethon.

Dates for local participants are as follows:

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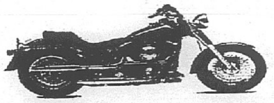

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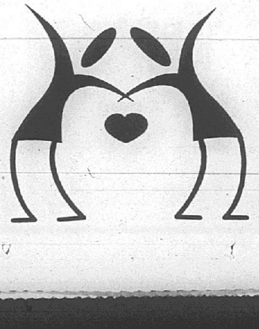

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Catherine Galasso

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The three most important words are, "I love you."

The two most important words are, "Thank you."

The least important word is, "Mine."

How important are our words, our speech, our daily conversations. Your words can make or break you. Choose them wisely and let them be simple phrases full of humility, for only the humble can truly learn.

"Humble yourselves therefore under the mighty hand of God, that he may exalt you in due time," 1 Peter 5:6.

Practice makes perfect, so begin to exercise your freedom to change your mind and be transformed.

Admitting when you are wrong, instantly turns failure to success, confusion to peace.

Realizing you are forgiven gives you freedom to get on and opens the door to creative energy and joy.

""So may people hold grudges their whole life, they don't forgive and forget," wrote Maria Morales of St. Louis. "They don't know that if one buries the hatchet, they shouldn't leave the handle sticking out."

With all the hang-ups gone, we are free to pursue our dreams and goals, prayerfully persisting onward.

In our dealings with mankind, our motivation must be Divine love. This comes only by yielding yourself through God.

It is He who will love through you and in expressing it genuinely we become unbeatable.

Saying, "thank you," is next to saying, "I love and appreciate you."

This restores harmony and clears the way for greater achievement. Let us forget the small world of self.

We must not live in the realm of "me" or "mine," coveting to get all for our own satisfaction, for that kind of satisfaction never really remains.

I once heard a powerful story of a man who was escorted by an angel down into hell.

There, the man saw a round table with a big bowl of delicious food in the middle of it. Sitting around the table were people who were holding three-foot long spoons in their hands.

They were wretched, skeletal and starving because the spoons were long enough to reach the food, but too long to put the food in their mouths.

In anger, they tried desperately to feed themselves. The man turned his back on their torment shaking his head.

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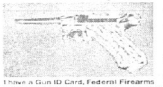

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Warriors learn from mistakes in '98

Team hopes to improve on last year's 3-6 mark

By Rick Broome
Staff writer

PREP FOOTBALL

Granite City's 3-6 campaign in 1998 was long on character and effort but short on victories.

"I think last year's ballclub showed a lot of guts and they worked really hard," said Granite City head coach Nick Petrillo. "I think the thing that may have hurt them a little bit is that they may have underestimated the abilities and the work that it took to get them to a higher level.

"We had a few kids who had worked really hard in the offseason, and then we had a few kids who had not. I think that first football game (a 26-14 loss to Cahokia) was an eye-opener as to how important conditioning is to your season. I think from that point on, the kids worked harder and gave even greater effort."

The Warriors' persistence impressed Petrillo.

"They made a gallant effort, they fought hard, they showed a lot of courage and guts, and came back to win three out of the last five ballgames, and they lost a real heartbreaker to Belleville East. So that team was a team we thought was going to get over the hump, and just some key players were not quite ready for the season. They got better as the season went on."

Petrillo hopes the Warriors' improved attention to conditioning will pay off with results on the field.

"I think this year's ballclub learned from that ballclub," Petrillo said. "We have had more kids in the weight room, more kids involved in the summer 7-on-7 program. That to us as coaches is very encouraging."

The offense will be led by two seniors, quarterback Zack May and wideout Kevin Elliott, both varsity starters last year.

"Those two guys are the key players," Petrillo said. "But we are looking to other guys to make contributions. At tailback, we are looking at Ryan Stegner and Marty Graham to alternate at I-back. That's what I really like to have, two guys who can go in and out so you can keep a pretty fresh guy. They complement each other.

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"Tight end is really still pretty much up in the air. We think we have some good candidates and that may be like the tailback. We may be switching there, between Eric Weinhoff and Jason Newman. Both of them have shown the ability to catch the football, they have shown good speed and strength. The thing that they need to work on right now is our blocking assignments, and they have been showing a lot of improvement in that area."

May also will have some nice targets in Andy McTaggert and Josh Martin.

"We are thinking we might be able to put the ball up in the air," Petrillo said.

But the rawhide won't be pushed downfield without the cattle on the front lines.

"The unsung heroes are going to be our linemen," Petrillo said. "Whatever they are capable of doing is going to dictate what we are going to be able to do as an offensive unit. They are the people that get the least amount of ink, and yet they are probably the most important aspect of your football team."

The Warriors defense was gutted through graduation and has been reassembled from scratch.

Tim Stephenson photo

Quarterback Zack May will lead Granite City's offense this fall.

"We lost all of our secondary, all of our down linemen, and we have one linebacker back in George Kirgan," Petrillo said. "Weinhoff played defensive end for us off and on through the season. Jason Evenden, who is now a junior, had some playing experience at linebacker last season. But for the most part, we are looking to replace about nine starters on the defense.

"We think we have some pretty good kids, but the proof is going to be in the pudding....We think we have more quickness and speed, and we probably have a few more kids that have more of a sick-em attitude instead of a fetch attitude. That is going to be really important for the defense — they need to know sick-em."

The Warriors' schedule will include the usual suspects from the Southwestern Conference, as well as a few other tough foes.

"Our conference, year-in and year-out, is tough," Petrillo said. "There is nobody on any given Friday night that you can take for granted because all of them have the potential of knocking the other guy off. I think every coach will tell you that.

"Where it gets tougher for

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Cahokia holds off Warriors

Frustrates GCHS in the red zone

By Garen Vartanian
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PREP FOOTBALL

As it did last year, Granite City opened the football season with a loss at Cahokia.

The Warriors controlled the ball, managed the clock, and found the seams in the Comanches' run defense but couldn't cross the endline and fell 7-0.

Cahokia got its only score on a controversial call that ended the first half. With two seconds to play in the second quarter, the Comanches were whistled for a motion penalty. The clock expired, and the Warriors left the field.

The officials called Granite back, just in time for Darius Smith to find William Fowler on a 29-yard fade route that dipped past the hands of three Warriors defenders. William Henderson tacked the extra point onto the only scoring of the game.

But Granite had its chances. Ryan Stegner ran for 108 yards, and the Warriors got into the Comanche red zone five times, including four shots from the Cahokia 3-yard line at the beginning of the third quarter. They got the ball back on their own 45-yard line with 3:43 to play in the game, but couldn't pull out a score.

"I guess we just couldn't finish it off," Granite City linebacker George Kirgan said. "We could have scored at least three touchdowns. The same thing happened here last year.

"We had one bad set of downs, that last set of downs in the first half. I think we played pretty well overall. It was just the red zone that tore us up. Every time we were in the red zone, we couldn't score touchdowns."

Cahokia coach Rob Eden said, "The defense was out on the field for three-fourths of the ballgame. Our offense

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Monster in the middle

Senior linebacker Wilson makes Kahoks tough again

By Brian Bretsch
Staff writer

PREP FOOTBALL

At 6-foot-3 and 220 pounds, Collinsville High School senior Cory Wilson is an imposing figure.

Combining his strength and speed, Wilson dished out a lot of punishment last season while making 122 tackles and leading the Kahoks to an 8-2 record.

But away from the football field, Wilson prefers humor to the hard line. One of his favorite subjects of discussion with Collinsville quarterback Derek LeMaster: Pro wrestling.

"He keeps it loose because he is such a good-natured guy off the field," Collinsville coach Tim Kane said. "In between drills, it is hard to believe he is that same intense guy when things get going. He likes to crack jokes, tell a story or do something goofy. People just look at him and shake their head and laugh.

"But when we start practice, he is at the opposite end of the spectrum. He brings more intensity than probably anybody. People know he is at practice. He is going to let people know the intensity level is expected at practice and how things should get done."

Wilson got it done to the tune of 67 tackles last season while helping Collinsville win its first eight games of the season en route to a runner-up finish in the Southwestern Conference and an appearance in the IHSA Class 5A playoffs.

"He'll beat those records," Kane said. "He is faster this year. The kid is stronger and he is faster. The only thing he does is he

Collinsville senior linebacker Cory Wilson made 122 tackles – including 67 solo stops – as the Kahoks posted an 8-2 record and qualified for the IHSA Class 5A playoffs.

Kahoks try to build on success

Kane wants perennial playoff team

By Brian Bretsch
Staff writer

PREP FOOTBALL

Despite qualifying for the IHSA playoffs two of the last three seasons, Collinsville High coach Tim Kane thinks the program still has plenty of room for improvement.

The Kahoks, who finished the 1998 campaign with an 8-2 record, established two firsts a year ago. Collinsville reeled off eight straight victories to begin a season for the first time and it hosted its first playoff game.

Kane already has put the success of the 1998 season behind him and hopes the current players have done the same. The coach, entering his third season at Collinsville, said he won't reflect on the past until the Kahoks are an annual playoff contender with some postseason victories in hand.

But the Kahoks will have to overcome graduation losses to reach the playoffs this year. Collinsville lost Kory Kimbrell, Steve Ballinger, John Kinscherff, Nathan York, D'Marco Anderson, Matt Miller and other seniors.

Collinsville does return quarterback Derek LeMaster, top rusher Eric Stewart, tackle Matt Carlson and linebacker Cory Wilson. Those four seniors are the Kahoks captains this year.

Kane attributed the 1998 success to off-season preparation and he's been just as pleased this summer.

"As hard as these guys have worked and as much time as they have put in and as many sacrifices these guys have made, I'm sure they expect as a team to go out there and be successful and competitive," Kane said. "We don't control so much of that as coaches as much as we control how they work in practice, do they have the proper attitude, are they willing to learn our schemes and our fundamentals. Those are things we talked about as far as being a championship team, being successful in football and being successful in life.

"First and foremost you want to have a winning season. Then, as the

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Edwardsville relies on veteran trio this fall

Evans, Bevis, Tarpoff lead Tigers in defense of Southwestern Conference championship

By Brian Bretsch
Staff writer

PREP FOOTBALL

Edwardsville High coach Tim Dougherty and his staff have had some outstanding in recent years.

Players like Jim Dougherty, Collin Gardiner, Steffan Nicholson and Kwayera "Q" Jackson have helped the Tigers post winning records in each of the last seven seasons, including 39 wins in the past four seasons.

"Not only have we had exceptional athletes but they are really hard-working kids," Dougherty said. "We have been blessed with some guys who are low maintenance to coach. They are hard chargers. They give it everything. Those guys are fun to coach."

And this year is certainly no exception. Joe Bevis, Travis Evans and Nick Tarpoff give the Tigers three three-year veterans who were helped the Tigers to two playoff appearances and a Southwestern Conference championship.

"I think those guys are mature enough to know what is at stake," Dougherty said. "With that comes the added responsibility to elevate your play to the next level. They are third-year starters. We've made a living off guys the first year they started was their senior year. I am just fortunate to have them another year."

Tarpoff has added an inch in height and 15 pounds to his frame from a year ago. He stands 6 feet 4 and weighs 243 pounds.

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"Nick has got great strength and tremendous quickness for a kid his size," Dougherty said. "He's been recruited as a defensive linemen because of his agility and quickness. I think he is an exceptional offensive linemen as well."

Evans (5-10, 155) led the team in rushing a year ago with 1,056 yards.

"Travis will play quite a bit on defense for us this year and has really looked good for us there," Dougherty said. "Travis has got great vision. His strength has gotten better each year. He is a very strong runner inside and he gives us versatility being able to go outside with his speed. We plan to use him on defense as well this year."

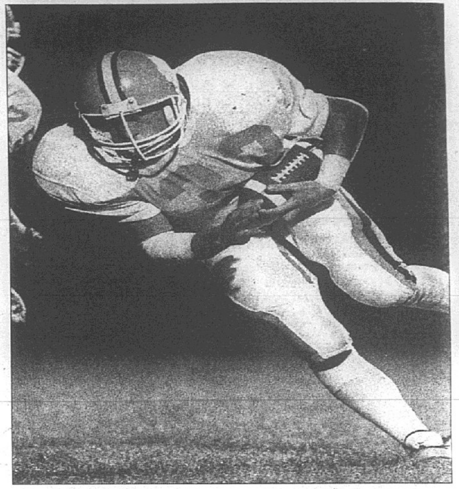
Bevis (6-1, 215) has rushed for more than 2,100 yards in two varsity seasons but is actually be touted more for his play at linebacker. He recorded 25 tackles and 45 assists last season.

"Joe is an all-state linebacker so it is hard to keep him off the field," Dougherty said. "He is so darn good at both positions. We've tailored some things offensively to the type of player he is. I think you are only as good as the people surrounding you. I don't care if you are in the NFL, you are only as good as your surrounding cast. I think he is mature enough to realize that too."

Bevis showed his maturity with his work in the weight room. This past summer, Bevis set a record in the Edwardsville football program's 1,000-pound club by posting marks of 555 pounds in the squat lift, 380 pounds in the bench press and 340 pounds in the powerclean.

"Joe is a main key part of our offense, not only as a running back but as blocker in our scheme," Dougherty said. "On defense, he is invaluable. He's a kid that is around the ball every snap. I think he's got tremendous vision, great feet and just a knack to get the ballcarrier all over the field. He has made some key plays for us on defense last year."

The Tigers, who finished 9-1 last season with a perfect regular season, opened the season Saturday at home against Chicago Gage Park.



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Edwardsville senior running back Joe Bevis has rushed for more than 2,100 yards in the last two seasons.

Prep football schedules

SOUTHWESTERN CONFERENCE

Alton

Head Coach: Joe Hook
1998 Record: 1-8 (Class 6A)
Football Enrollment: 2150.00

8/28	2:00	H	Chicago Hubbard
9/3	7:30	A	Quincy
9/10	7:30	A •	East St. Louis
9/17	7:30	H •	Edwardsville
9/24	7:30	A •	Belleville West
10/1	7:30	A	Sikeston (Mo.)
10/8	7:30	A •	Collinsville
10/15	7:30	H •	Granite City
10/22	7:30	H •	Belleville East

Belleville East

Head Coach: Mike McGinnis
1998 Record: 6-4 (Class 6A)
Football Enrollment: 2345.00

8/28	6:30	H	Moline
9/4	1:30	H	Cahokia
9/10	7:30	A	Creve Coeur (Mo.) DeSmet
9/17	7:30	A •	Belleville West
9/25	1:30	H •	Collinsville
10/1	7:30	A •	Granite City
10/8	7:30	A •	East St. Louis
10/15	7:30	H •	Edwardsville
10/22	7:30	A •	Alton

Belleville West

Head Coach: Dennis Snep
1998 Record: 0-9 (Class 6A)
Football Enrollment: 2109.00

8/27	7:30	A	O'Fallon
9/3	7:30	A	Belleville Althoff
9/10	7:30	A •	Collinsville
9/17	7:30	H •	Belleville East
9/24	7:30	H •	Alton
10/1	7:30	H •	Edwardsville
10/8	7:30	H •	Granite City
10/15	7:30	A •	East St. Louis
10/22	7:30	H	Triad

Collinsville

Head Coach: Tim Kane
1998 Record: 8-2 (Class 5A)
Football Enrollment: 1849.14

8/27	7:00	A	Bethalto Civic Memorial
9/3	7:30	H	Mascoutah
9/10	7:30	H •	Belleville West
9/17	7:30	A •	Granite City
9/25	1:30	A •	Belleville East
10/1	7:30	A •	East St. Louis
10/8	7:30	H •	Alton
10/15	7:30	A	Cahokia
10/22	7:30	H •	Edwardsville

East St. Louis

Head Coach: Terry Hill
1998 Record: 7-4 (Class 5A)
Football Enrollment: 2334.00

8/28	1:30	H	Chicago Simeon
9/4	1:30	H	St. Louis Sumner
9/10	7:30	H •	Alton
9/24	7:30	A •	Edwardsville
10/1	7:30	H •	Collinsville
10/8	7:30	H •	Belleville East
10/15	7:30	H •	Belleville West
10/22	7:30	A •	Granite City

Edwardsville

Head Coach: Tim Dougherty
1998 Record: 9-1 (Class 6A)
Football Enrollment: 2055.00

8/28	1:00	H	Chicago Gage Park
9/3	7:30	H	St. Louis Naval Jr. ROTC
9/10	7:30	H •	Granite City
9/17	7:30	A •	Alton
9/24	7:30	H •	East St. Louis
10/1	7:30	A •	Belleville West
10/8	7:30	H	Springfield (Mo.) Glendale
10/15	7:30	A •	Belleville East
10/22	7:30	A •	Collinsville

Granite City

Head Coach: Nick Petrillo
1998 Record: 3-6 (Class 6A)
Football Enrollment: 2411.00

8/27	7:30	A	Cahokia
9/3	7:30	H	Jerseyville
9/10	7:30	A •	Edwardsville
9/17	7:30	H •	Collinsville
9/25	7:30	A	Belleville Althoff
10/1	7:30	H •	Belleville East
10/8	7:30	A •	Belleville West
10/15	7:30	A •	Alton
10/22	7:30	H •	East St. Louis

CAHOKIA CONFERENCE

Breese Central

Head Coach: Jim Falconio
1998 Record: 4-5 (Class 3A)
Football Enrollment: 540.00

8/27	7:30	A	Greenville
9/3	7:30	H •	Freeburg
9/10	7:30	A •	Dupo
9/17	7:30	A	Breese (Mater Dei)
9/24	7:30	A •	Columbia
10/1	7:30	H •	Red Bud
10/8	7:30	H •	Carlyle
10/15	7:30	A	Rochester
10/22	7:30	H	Pinckneyville

Carlyle

Head Coach: Gary Wheeler
1998 Record: 4-5 (Class 2A)
Football Enrollment: 487.93

8/27	7:30	H	Vandalia (Coop)
9/3	7:30	H	Perryville (Mo.) St. Vincent
9/10	7:30	A •	Red Bud
9/17	7:30	H •	Dupo
9/24	7:30	A •	Freeburg
10/1	7:30	H •	Columbia
10/8	7:30	A •	Breese Central
10/15	7:00	A	Christopher (Coop)
10/22	7:30	H	Elkville (Elverado) (Coop)

Columbia

Head Coach: Joe Iorio
1998 Record: 4-5 (Class 2A)
Football Enrollment: 474.43

8/27	7:30	A	Nashville
9/3	7:30	H	Chester
9/10	7:30	A •	Freeburg
9/17	7:30	A •	Red Bud
9/24	7:30	H •	Breese Central
10/1	7:30	A •	Carlyle
10/8	7:30	H •	Dupo
10/15	7:30	H	Breese Mater Dei
10/22	7:00	A	Bunker Hill

Dupo

Head Coach: Gary Mauser
1998 Record: 6-4 (Class 2A)
Football Enrollment: 412.36

8/27	7:00	H	Sesser-Valier (Coop)
9/3	7:00	A	Newton
9/10	7:30	H •	Breese Central
9/17	7:30	A •	Carlyle
9/24	7:30	H •	Red Bud
10/1	7:30	H •	Freeburg
10/8	7:30	A •	Columbia
10/16	1:00	H	Martinsville
10/22	7:30	A	Chester

Freeburg

Head Coach:
1998 Record: 5-5 (Class 3A)
Football Enrollment: 647.00

8/27	7:30	H	Roxana
9/3	7:30	A •	Breese Central
9/10	7:30	H •	Columbia
9/17	7:30	A	Quincy Notre Dame
9/24	7:30	H •	Carlyle
10/1	7:30	A •	Dupo
10/8	7:30	H	Breese Mater Dei
10/15	7:30	A •	Red Bud
10/22	7:30	A	Nashville

Red Bud

Head Coach: Todd Rushing
1998 Record: 1-8 (Class 3A)
Football Enrollment: 475.64

8/27	7:30	A	Chester
9/3	7:30	H	Metro East Lutheran
9/10	7:30	H •	Carlyle
9/17	7:30	H •	Columbia
9/24	7:30	A •	Dupo
10/1	7:30	A •	Breese Central
10/8	7:30	A	Rochester
10/15	7:30	H •	Freeburg
10/22	7:30	H	Sparta

MISSISSIPPI VALLEY

Bethalto Civic Memorial

Head Coach: Rick Reinhart
1998 Record: 7-3 (Class 4A)
Football Enrollment: 968.21

8/27	7:00	H	Collinsville
9/3	7:30	A	Centralia
9/10	7:00	H	Effingham
9/17	7:00	H •	Highland
9/24	7:00	A •	Waterloo
10/1	7:00	A •	Triad
10/8	7:00	H •	Mascoutah
10/15	7:00	A •	Jerseyville
10/22	7:00	H	Springfield Southeast

Highland

Head Coach: Mike Hooker
1998 Record: 5-4 (Class 4A)
Football Enrollment: 935.00

8/27	7:00	H	Chicago Orr
9/3	7:00	A	Mount Zion
9/10	7:00	H	Centralia
9/17	7:00	A •	Bethalto Civic Memorial
9/24	7:00	A •	Triad
10/1	7:00	H •	Jerseyville
10/8	7:00	H •	Waterloo
10/15	7:00	A •	Mascoutah
10/22	7:00	H	Paris

Jerseyville

Head Coach: Bill Breden
1998 Record: 9-2 (Class 4A)
Football Enrollment: 1083.57

8/27	7:30	H	Jacksonville
9/3	7:30	A	Granite City
9/10	7:30	A	Mount Vernon
9/17	7:00	H •	Waterloo
9/24	7:00	H •	Mascoutah
10/1	7:00	A •	Highland
10/8	7:00	A •	Triad
10/15	7:00	H •	Bethalto Civic Memorial
10/23	1:00	H	Carbondale

Mascoutah

Head Coach: Chris Lindsay
1998 Record: 1-8 (Class 4A)
Football Enrollment: 949.00

8/27	7:30	H	Mount Vernon
9/3	7:30	A	Collinsville
9/10	7:00	H	Robinson
9/17	7:00	H •	Triad
9/24	7:00	A •	Jerseyville
10/1	7:00	H •	Waterloo
10/8	7:00	A •	Bethalto Civic Memorial
10/15	7:00	H •	Highland
10/22	7:30	A	Chatham Glenwood

INDEPENDENTS

Belleville Althoff

Head Coach: Glenn Schott
1998 Record: 5-4 (Class 4A)
Football Enrollment: 1035.83

8/27	7:30	H	Metamora
9/3	7:30	H	Belleville West
9/10	7:30	H	Cahokia
9/25	7:30	H	Granite City
10/1	7:30	A	Breese Mater Dei
10/8	7:30	A	Jackson (Mo.)
10/16	7:30	H	Poplar Bluff (Mo.)
10/22	7:00	A	Springfield Sacred Heart-Griffin

SOUTH SEVEN

Cahokia

Head Coach: Robert Eden
1998 Record: 4-5 (Class 5A)
Football Enrollment: 1426.21

8/27	7:30	H	Granite City
9/4	1:30	A	Belleville East
9/10	7:30	A	Belleville Althoff
9/17	7:30	H •	Marion
9/24	7:30	A •	Carbondale
10/1	7:30	A •	Centralia
10/8	7:30	H •	Mount Vernon
10/15	7:30	H	Collinsville
10/22	7:30	H •	O'Fallon

O'Fallon

Head Coach: Gary Bridell
1998 Record: 7-3 (Class 5A)
Football Enrollment: 1882.00

8/27	7:30	H	Belleville West
9/3	7:00	A	Paris
9/10	7:00	A	St. Louis University High
9/17	7:30	H •	Mount Vernon
9/24	7:30	A •	Centralia
10/1	7:30	A •	Marion
10/8	7:30	H •	Carbondale
10/16	1:00	H	Columbia (Mo.) Hickman
10/22	7:30	A •	Cahokia

Tee Up Golf Center squad wins inaugural team tourney

Soetaert combines with Goscinski, Stropp for win

GOLF

Tee Up Golf Center professional Jack Soetaert and amateurs Joyce Goscinski and Mike Stropp defeated the Leawood South Golf Club of Kansas City, Mo., to win the inaugural annual Countrywide Gateway/Midwest Team Championship golf tournament at Branson Creek Golf Club in Branson, Mo., on July 28.

To reach the championship match, the Tee Up Golf Center team qualified in open competition at the Missouri Bluffs Golf Club in St. Charles County, Mo., and then defeated Tower Tee Golf Center of south St. Louis, Golf Headquarters Golf Plex of O'Fallon, Mo., and Algonquin Country Club of St. Louis.

Soetart is a native of Joplin, Mo., and traveled across the country in nine mimi tours before joining Tee Up Golf Course in Fairmont City as the head golf professional. He has been a professional for seven years and previously was assistant pro at Annbriar Golf Course in Waterloo.

Goscinski, a Belleville resident, is a physical therapist at Memorial Hospital in Belleville. She has been playing golf for the past 10 years and plays in local tournaments and charity events.

Stropp, of Springfield, Mo., is the manager of Snelling Personnel, Inc. He has been a long-time golf partners.

Countrywide Home Loans sponsored the event and presented the first prize of $25,000.

Matches were videotaped and will be broadcast for 32 weeks on Fox Sports Midwest, beginning Sept. 25.

The Tee Up Golf Center team won the inaugural Countrywide Gateway/Midwest Team Championship last month.

Ritchie celebrates 30 years in karting

KARTING

Granite City native John Ritchie is celebrating his 30th season of karting and attempting to defend his championship in the World Karting Association's Dunlop Tire National Enduro Series.

Ritchie, 43, won the WKA 100cc Controlled National Championship last year, competing in eight races in five states. To win the title, he finished second at Daytona Beach, Fla.; second in Charlotte, N.C.; and then won four consecutive races — at Hutchinson Island in Savannah, Ga.; Brainerd, Minn.; Summit Point, W.Va.; and Atlanta Motor Speedway.

Enduro cars are eight feet long with the nearly driver flat on his back. The car is is powered by a 100cc, 21 horsepower, two-cycle Italian Parilla engine. The circuit stopped at Gateway International Raceway in August.

Ritchie first competed in karting in 1969. "One thing has never changed is the grin I get on my face from the pure thrill of going very fast," he said.

Granite City's John Ritchie the defending champion of the WKA enduro series.

Cahokia tops Warriors in opener

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> **Rob Eden**
> Cahokia coach

shot itself in the foot with turnovers, a misplayed kickoff in the second half, fumbles, missed snaps, the back going to the wrong hole. It seemed like if anything could go wrong offensively, it did go wrong.

"Thank God the defense showed up. We had a key interception and a key goal-line stand. That was critical. It could have been a knotted game right there. It's really a tribute to the defense. I was proud of the way the kids hung in there. I was ticked at the way they let them get down there, but they stood tall."

"We did exactly what we wanted to do with moving the ball, but we just couldn't score," Granite City coach Nick Petrillo said. "But I'm as proud of these kids as I can be because they played a really tough ballgame. I think there is some question about how that touchdown was scored. But be that as it may, we were in the red zone five times, and we were inside the 1-yard line and came up empty. We have no excuses. We had three kids around the football and we didn't knock it down. We just didn't get the job done."

The Warriors entered the game with a squad of mostly unproven talent but emerged out the other side battle-hardened.

"The young kids we talked about are seasoned veterans now," Petrillo said. "They played a really fast, hard-nosed football team and gave them everything they could handle. I think our defense really rose to the occasion and just played outstanding football. Our offense, with the exception of getting in the endzone, played probably above expectations.

"We had some opportunities. We have to just catch the ball before we start running, and we are going to be fine. I think (quarterback) Zack May showed tremendous leadership and courage out there and took charge. (Ryan) Stegner showed me a tremendous amount of guts. We're talking about a 145-pound kid who fought every inch of the way and scrambled for every yard he got. He did an excellent job."

Cahokia goes on to play Belleville East next Friday.

"Belleville East just has a good program," Eden said. "They are going to be tough. But this Granite City team is going to make a lot of noise in the Southwestern Conference. They are going to be a hell of a ballclub."

The Warriors host Jerseyville next Friday at 7:30 p.m.

Kahoks eye success

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victories come, get into the playoffs and then a conference championship beyond that. With that said, you can't look to any of that throughout the season because you have to worry about each week at a time. If we start worrying about everything down the road, you are not going to take care of business at the proper time."

The Collinsville offensive line will have some new faces. Senior Jake Smith, a full-time starter at guard last year, returns with seniors Jeremy Call and Roger Darden, who were part-time players. Darden is currently a bit banged up and might not see much action to start the year. Junior Joe Cook was working out at center but has switched to left tackle because of Darden's injury.

The backfield is in veteran hands with LeMaster at quarterback and Stewart, who rushed for more than 950 yards last year, at fullback.

"Those two are going to help our offense tremendously, having two guys who understand about the fullback, quarterback position and how important that is in our offensive execution," Kane said. "(Junior) Josh Miller has stepped up real well at tailback. (Junior) Nick Ditzler has shown some real good signs there at tailback as well. (Senior) Derrell Dunlap doesn't quite have the size but he has a real big heart and is working as hard as we can ask him to work."

The tight end position will be handled by Jake Burrows, Wilson and 280-pounder Larry Darnell. Wilson and Darnell will be added to the line for short-yardage situations.

The split ends will be juniors Tom Viviano and Matt Thomas but Collinsville threw about one pass per game last season.

The defense will be led by Wilson, who led the team in tackles last year with 122.

Darnell serves as the anchor on the defensive line.

Kevin Wiegers and Ryan Buettner are experienced defensive linemen. The other down linemen position will be occupied by Aaron Franke, Brian Reulecke, Tim Young, Cook or Carl Phillips.

Joining Wilson at linebacker will be Brad Bachelier, LeMaster, Eli Ninness or Peter Piquard. The defensive backs will feature Barrows, Stewart, Ditzler, Tim Brown and Matt Heatherly.

Newcomer Chris Clewis will handle all the kicking duties.

"One of the thing that excites us is the fact we still have very few guys go two ways," Kane said. "I think maybe we have two guys going two ways all the time. I think that is a credit to the kids."

Warriors have learned from last year's mistakes

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us, I think if you look at our non-conference schedule compared to other people, we haven't backed off from anybody. We are taking Cahokia, who is a perennial contender for the playoffs, and Jerseyville, who has been in the playoffs for the last 10 years.

We have (Belleville) Althoff, who is always competing, always playing big football teams, and now it looks like they will be able to play a little more locally. They always have outstanding ballplayers who go on to a Division I or Division II ballclub."

The Warriors' dream of autumn glory hinges on the continuing good attitude that has been apparent through preseason camp.

"Our expectations I think are rather high for this team, and maybe justifiably so," Petrillo said. "These kids have shown a tremendous work-ethic, they have not reneged or backed off on anything that the coaches have asked them to do. We don't hear any crying or moaning in their efforts, and that is a little bit different than some of the things we have experienced in the past. We have always had a few kids who dragged things down, but everybody here seems to be extremely competitive and yet they get along."

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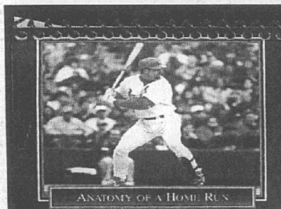
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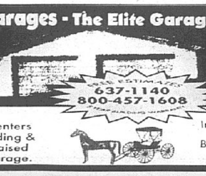

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High hopes for 1999 hinge on success of returnees

By Rick Broome
Staff writer

The thunder of sneakers is coming to a park near you.

CROSS COUNTRY

The runners of the Granite City cross country team head for open ground when the season begins on Sept. 4 in the Granite City Invitational.

"It's going to be fun when we have our Invitational," Granite City cross country coach Tom Haefner said. "It has been very popular with the teams. We have at least 20 full teams and maybe up to 24 teams coming over from Missouri and Illinois. It's a good chance to see the local talent and see the talent that you will only see at regionals, sectionals, or possibly even state. It's a very good time to see how you are matching up early on."

The Warriors had a good 1998 fall season, led by a junior who went on to make state in track.

"I was very happy about last year's results," Haefner said. "Kevin Atkins made it to state, and he did well there, being his first year to get to go. He learned a lot from the experience, and we are looking for him to do a lot to be even better this year. He is a team leader and a senior.

"This is his fourth year with us, and that was one of his goals, to be here four years and to get better each year, and he has really achieved it."

Haefner looks for Atkins' individual success to turn contagious and spread.

"Last year one person made it to state, and I am very high that the whole boys team will make it to state this year," Haefner said. "So I am looking forward to this year with great anticipation. This is the year that we have had the most student-athletes that we have ever had come out. We started four years ago with eight, and now we have 30. That speaks well for the team members, that they are telling their friends and their friends are coming out. It speaks well for the track program, that we are getting good communication between the two programs."

Atkins will need some help if the Warriors are going to see opposing teams recede in the rearview mirrors.

"The high hopes for this year are resting on returning men like Rich Skirball, who is a senior," Haefner said. "David Jackson, who is also a senior, will be fighting hard to be in our sixth or seventh position, which is a very important spot.

"David Elliff is also going to be working very hard to be with the varsity this year. We have a new sophomore running with cross country this year, Jim Treakle. He should help us a lot. Bobby Rider ran with us as a freshman, then he quit, and now that he ran track he has decided to come back out. Junior Jerry Curtis ran track, ran cross country, he will help us. Andy Balcer came back, he is a junior, and he will help us.

But cross country isn't just for the guys. The Warriors should send out a strong side to represent the girls.

"We really depend on Penelope Meyer," Haefner said. "She did great last year, and we are expecting her to do just as well this year and to also make it to state. Right now she has a slight knee problem, so she is laying off, doing non-stress workouts on the knee so it will be strong when the season finally starts.

"Of the girls returning, Angela Kromraj ran last year, and this year she has run all summer, and she wants to compete on the varsity level. Her attitude is great, her work-ethic is excellent and she is sure to help us.

"We also have new people, like Lucia Ruiz, Faith Yurcisin, and Lindsey Hendrix. Kelly Evans is a returning member. She ran in the open, but she has told me that she is wanting to get herself up to the position to run at the varsity level. We are looking for a lot of good things from her."

The Warriors had an outstanding turnout this year.

"What's good about the freshmen is that this year we have nine freshmen boys, and for the first time in a long time we will have a freshman team," Haefner said. "Also some of these boys will be good enough to move up to the sophomore team, so at the freshman-sophomore level, we will be strong."

Haefer believes his team can do some damage against area competition.

"I'm looking forward to maybe doing really well in the Southwestern Conference," he said. "I think we will do real well as a team. Overall I am very encouraged, not only by the numbers but by the work attitude and the fact that some of the boys came back ready to run. We had a summer camp which was well-attended, 15 boys and one girl from our system came to the summer camp.

"Tom Miller does runs with them during the summer. So with all of that working for us, I really think we are going to do well. I am very hopeful."

Warriors swing into early action

Boast third-, first-place finishes to start 1999 season

By Rick Broome
Staff writer

The Granite City golf team teed off 1999 in the 18-hole Redbird Classic on Monday at Lockhaven Golf Course in Alton.

BOYS GOLF

The Warriors finished third in the 10-team field, trailing only winner Alton and Centralia.

Granite City seniors Brett Briggs and Ty Suhre each shot 81. Jeff Jerden and Ryan McAteer signed scorecards of 83 apiece, and Ryan Harrison weighed in with an 88.

Thursday the Warriors returned home to Arlington Golf Course in Pontoon. The home-field advantage seemed to do their hearts good, as Granite City took the four-team match.

The Warriors finished with a low score of 153. Triad was next at 161, followed by Highland at 163 and Civic Memorial at 179.

Briggs again had the best nine for Granite City, shooting a 37. Junior Brett Sollberger followed at 38. Suhre, McAteer and Dan Harper bunched up at 39, and Jerden shot 40. Harrison had a 43 and Adam Zimmer added a 46.

"We expected to play a little better at the Redbird Classic, but we were satisfied with it," Granite City coach Boone Chaney said. "Thursday we were back at Arlington, and we play very well at our home course. I was very satisfied with the results of that match."

The Warriors played in the Quincy Tournament Saturday morning and will face Edwardsville, Triad and Greenville Wednesday afternoon.

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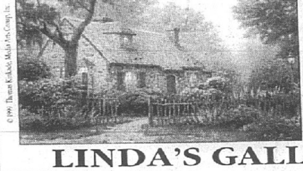

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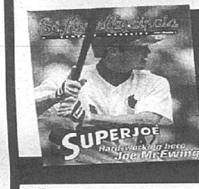

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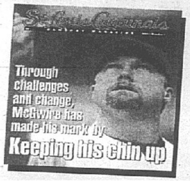

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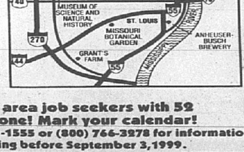

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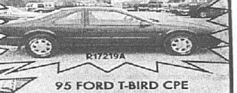

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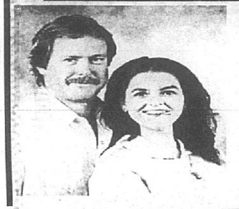

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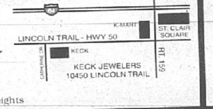

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Part of I-270 now considered one of most dangerous in area

By Scott Cousins
Staff writer

> "The high volume of commuter traffic, drivers hurrying to work, and speeding violations are significant contributing factors to the reason for the high number of traffic crashes."
>
> **Diana Sievers, District 11 commander**
> Illinois state police

A stretch of Interstate 270 between Illinois 111 and Illinois 3 is one of the most accident-prone stretches of road in the five-county area patrolled by District 11 state troopers.

District 11 Commander Diana Sievers said the state police will release on a monthly basis the locations with the highest number of accidents.

"The State Police feels that more information our motoring public has, the safer they will operate their vehicle," Sievers said.

In the first three months of 1999, that stretch of roadway generated 29 traffic crashes. Police noted that more crashes occurred between 6 and 9 p.m. Wednesdays.

"The high volume of commuter traffic, drivers hurrying to work, and speeding violations are significant contributing factors to the reason for the high number of traffic crashes," she said.

In St. Clair County, the highest crash location handled by the state police was the first two miles of the interstate system off of the Poplar Street Bridge complex.

"From the Mississippi River, in both directions, constitutes the highest potential in St. Clair County for traffic crashes," Sievers said.

"With 64 crashes reported for the first quarter, you can see the need for our motorists to exercise extreme caution in these areas."

She said more crashes occur on Saturday between 7 and 9 a.m. and 4 and 6 p.m.

The Illinois Department of Transportation will be placing message boards cautioning drivers as they enter these areas.

"Our goal is to keep the public safe as they travel Illinois Highways," Sievers said.

"As we identify these dangerous areas we will be active in our enforcement activities to reduce the number of crashes."

School menus

St. Elizabeth School

Monday, Aug. 30
Lunch: No Lunch served.

Tuesday, Aug. 31
Lunch: Hot dog on a bun, pork and beans, potato sticks, fruit-jello.

Wednesday, Sept. 1
Lunch: Chef salad (chicken and cheese), garlic toast, pears

Thursday, Sept. 2
Lunch: Ham and cheese deli sandwich, carrot sticks, cheese puffs, applesauce

Friday, Sept. 3
Lunch: Cheese pizza, green beans, orange slices

All extra servings are 50 cents unless otherwise noted.

Snacks and extra drinks are 25 cents.

Ryan signs bill to help victims of sex crimes

By Val McDowell
Staff writer

Gov. George Ryan signed a bill last week that extends the statute of limitations on sexual assault crimes for victims.

Dubbed Melissa's Law, the bill is intended to respond in part to the case of Melissa Gaines.

It was co-sponsored in the house by State Rep. Jay Hoffman, D-Collinsville.

Gaines, of the Kankakee area, was molested as a child, but missed the deadline of reporting the crime by one year.

The current law states a victim must report the crime within six months, and prosecution should take place within five years from the time of the attack.

"By extending the statute of limitations on sexual assault crimes against children, we acknowledge that it often takes years for victims, especially young victims, to come to grips with extent of their pain and injury," Ryan said in a written statement released after the signing.

The bill extends the statute of limitations to 10 years after the date of the offense, or 10 years after the victim turns 18, if a minor when the offense occured.

The bill covers such crimes as criminal sexual assault, aggravated criminal sexual assault, predatory criminal sexual assault of a child and aggravated criminal sexual abuse.

Ryan noted the bill also extends the statute of limitations on abuse offenses to 10 years, if the victim was under 18 and the offender is a family member.

In cases where the offender is not a family member and the victim is under 18 when the incident occurs, the statute is extended for 10 years as long as reported before the victim's 21 birthday.

For victims 18 or older at the time of the attack, limitations are 10 years if a report is filed within two years after it was committed.

Ryan signed the bill Aug. 11 and it takes effect Jan. 1, 2000.

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The seminar features a team of experts, including a certified diabetes nurse educator, a registered dietitian and a pharmacist.

Managing diabetes can be overwhelming, particularly when first diagnosed. This free seminar is open to all diabetics, including those newly diagnosed and those presently managing diabetes who want the most current information. Refreshments will be served.

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'The Iron Giant' better-than-average animated film

"The Iron Giant," plot interpretation No. 1: Gargantuan robot terrorizes Maine countryside.

"The Iron Giant," plot interpretation No. 2: Heartwarming tale of boy meets metal guy, army finds out about metal guy, boy loses metal guy.

In an age when thoughtful, well-executed cartoons saturate the market, "The Iron Giant," a new animated feature based on the late British poet laureate Ted Hughes' story of suspicion, misinterpretation and friendship, stands ahead of the pack. Sensitive and emotional without being maudlin, it is in the best tradition of animation: an ideal tale for children that offers a lot to adults as well.

Hogarth Hughes, 9 years old (the voice of Eli Marienthal), is living in Rockwell, Maine, in 1957. His single mother, Annie, works hard in a diner every day. The newspapers are filled with forbidding tales of Sputnik and the Soviet/communist threat; the movie theaters are replete with science-fiction movies about invaders from space. It's an idyllic small town, but it's also a frightening time to be a kid.

After a particularly bad storm one night, strange stories begin to surface. A fisherman says he came face to knee with a giant metal man standing in the sea. People scoff, blaming booze. But Hogarth is intrigued. And after something chomps the TV antenna from his roof and cuts off his late-night sci-fi movie, he ventures into the dark Maine woods behind his house to investigate.

He finds a giant robot — a hulking mass of metal that looks like a cross between the old Japanese television character Ultraman and Bender from "Futurama." The robot, while menacing and more than 100 feet (30 meters) tall, is actually childlike; Hogarth befriends it.

"I am now the luckiest kid in America," the lad enthuses. "This is bigger than, I don't know, television."

Of course, Hogarth's mom (voiced by Jennifer Aniston) doesn't believe him. And hijinks ensue. The robot eats metal, so Hogarth manages to sneak him to a scrap yard owned by beatnik artist Dean (Harry Connick Jr.). It's a virtual all-you-can-eat buffet; the machine-man munches on old Fords like corn on the cob.

But, as is the case in all science fiction, there must be the government guy. In this case it's Agent Kent Mansley (Christopher McDonald), a Joker-face bureaucrat with an authoritarian streak. At first, he scoffs at reports of the metal man.

"Big things happen in big places," he sneers.

The climax, of course, involves a clash — between the gentle, misunderstood robot who doesn't want to kill, and the fly-off-the-handle military, which in trying to prevent a catastrophe actually instigates a bigger one. And Hogarth is caught in the middle.

A full plate of 1950s iconography and music and atomic-age fear, coupled with intricate, loving animation, give "The Iron Giant" more of a sense of place than most cartoons. The detail of the cartooning (this is, after all, from Warner Bros., home of Bugs Bunny) is an ocular feast of shadow and color: single hairs blow in the wind, fall foliage glows, snowflakes are individual in their intricacy.

Most of all, the perspective shots — a robot's-eye view, a perspective shot of Hogarth as he is lifted far into the air — help this film transcend most of today's movie animation.

But it is the story — sweet, understated, graceful — that really keeps "The Iron Giant" from being a kiddie matinee. Packed with pathos but never preachy, it explores fear, friendship, sacrifice and doing the right thing. It tells kids that authority doesn't always act in their best interests, which is an important lesson. It says that violence doesn't have to happen — another good lesson.

The movie doesn't explain where the robot came from or why it fell to Earth, and it doesn't matter; this isn't sci-fi. What matters is how Rockwell — and Hogarth in particular — copes with the arrival.

"People just aren't ready for you," Hogarth laments to his metal friend. Yet perhaps they are. Perhaps the town is more understanding than anyone believes; perhaps acceptance is just around the corner.

That's the message of "The Iron Giant," written by Hughes to comfort his children after the death of their mother, Sylvia Plath: that people sometimes defy expectations and rise above their prejudices and preconceptions to a new level of grace.

"The Iron Giant," a Warner Bros. film, is directed by Brad Bird from a screenplay by Tim McCanlies based on Hughes' book. The Who's Pete Townshend, who recorded an album and launched a play based on the story, is executive producer.

— Associated Press

Horoscope

SUNDAY, AUGUST 29

What you know could put you out in front of the pack in the year ahead. Take pains to gain special expertise if you do not already possess exceptional knowledge in either career or sports.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Opportunities that arise today may not wait around too long for you to decide whether you're interested in them or not. Strike now.

Virgo, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send the required refund form and for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing $2 and self-addressed stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Be sure to state your Zodiac sign.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) A new acquaintance you'll make today could be the catalyst who ushers in some exciting new changes where your social life is concerned. Be friendly to all.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Starting today, be more diligent about putting forth your best efforts. Chances are your talents and capabilities will be more readily recognized and rewarded at this time.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Especially in activities that require mental and muscular attributes, you're learning capabilities are on the rise. Today may be the day for that golf lesson you've wanted.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Be methodical in all that you do today, but don't waste too much time pondering things either, particularly if they involve a financial transaction. Act.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) People in general should be more receptive than usual today. If there is someone you'd like to contact who could be pertinent to your plans, open the lines of communication now.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You happen to be one of the Zodiac signs who are numbered among the front runners today, so take advantage of this by going after what you want now.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Greater progress can be made today if you're the one calling all the shots for the planned events of the day. Don't delegate to others anything you're more capable of handling.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Unexpected trends are now stirring in your favor. In fact, you might even receive reparations today for two old obligations you had just about written off.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Getting others to do what you want them to do while making them think it's their own idea is your genius today. However, you'll use this ploy only for honorable reasons.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) This is not the day to postpone performing what you're capable of doing now, because you can make more strides today than you may be able to tomorrow.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Tackling a variety of tasks today should be no problem for you. In fact, the more challenging some thing is, the more creative and imaginative you're likely to become.

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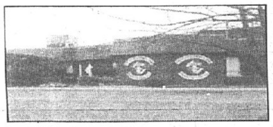

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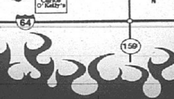

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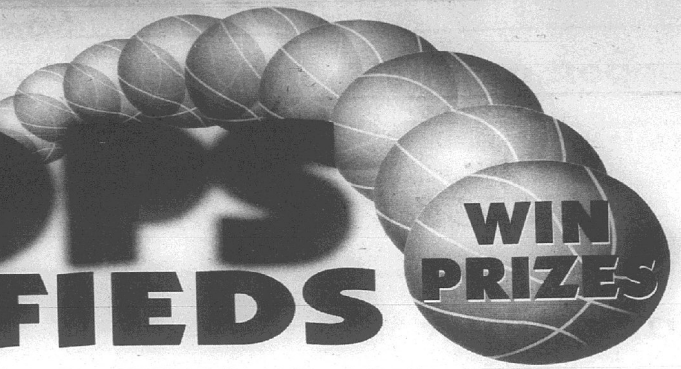

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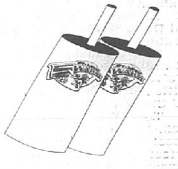

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2. Name the 76ers player who has a twin brother currently playing in the NBA. __________
3. Know as "Dr. J.", what NBA legend is the 76 ers' All-Time Leader for most points scored in a career?__________
4. Now playing for the for the New Jersey Nets, who had his number 44 retired by the University of Utah?__________
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6. Of the 8 schools entered in the 1999 Hoop & Quill Classic, which university in Indiana scored a big upset in the 1998 NCAA Tournament?__________
7. Which school represents the Missouri Valley Conference in the 1999 Hoop & Quill Classic?__________
8. What is the name of the professional basketball league that the St. Louis Swarm will play in starting November 1999?__________
9. What is the name of the new arena that the St. Louis Swarm will call their home? __________
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Happy Birthday

World Famous landmark turns the big '5-0'

Festivities at the Brooks Foods Catsup Bottle water tower's 50th birthday party on Sunday afternoon might have been similar to the celebration when the world's largest ketchup bottle was completed.

Visitors who strolled up and down Main Street could peruse a car show, play games, enjoy food, beverages and ice cream at picnic tables, listen to music in front of the Blum house, and watch the parade.

"This is an all-American event," said Downtown Manager Judy DeMoisy. "The community coming together downtown to celebrate."

Sunday's event, sponsored by Downtown Collinsville Inc., the Collinsville Area Recreation District, Collinsville Visitors and Convention Bureau, and the Catsup Bottle Preservation Group, even included a birthday cake and a round of "Happy Birthday."

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Belleville residents Virginia and Dave Bowles learned of the celebration in the newspaper.

"We try to do something different every weekend," Virginia said. "We've heard a lot about the Catsup Bottle while it was being repaired and this sounded like a lot of fun."

Trey Thebeau, 14 and Brandon Beck, 15, both Collinsville High School students, decided it was a perfect day to see the car show, sponsored by the ketchup bottle's neighbor, the Colonel's Dealer's Choice, and check out the festivities.

"We came up to look at the cars and see what's going on," Trey said. "They have some pretty nice cars (on display)."

The car show also caught the eye of Abbey and Chelsea Wilson of Collinsville, who with their parents, Barry and Janice Wilson, counted nearly 136 cars lining Main Street in the show.

"The best car was the little VW," Abbey said.

Lynn and Wayne Wood of St. Louis began their afternoon at the photo exhibit depicting the volunteer effort to renovate the historic landmark at the Collin Art Gallery located at the old Schroeppel/Brown house, now home to The Flower Basket.

"This is the first time we've ever been to Collinsville," Lynn said. "I remember the old Vess soda bottle in St. Louis. But we came to check out the Catsup bottle.

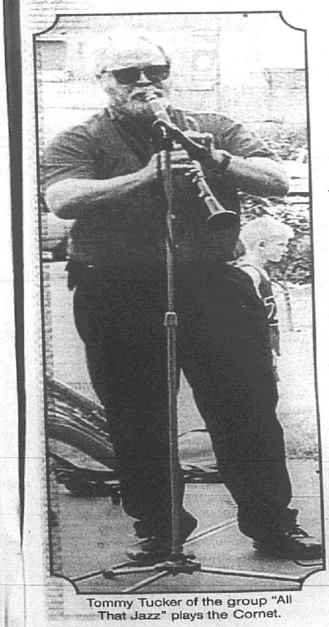
Arvil Wrigley, part of Downtown Collinsville Inc. and the committee that spearheaded the renovation of the landmark, took a few minutes from selling Catsup Bottle T-shirts and mementos to listen to the band "All that Jazz."

"This is a great band and a great afternoon," he said.

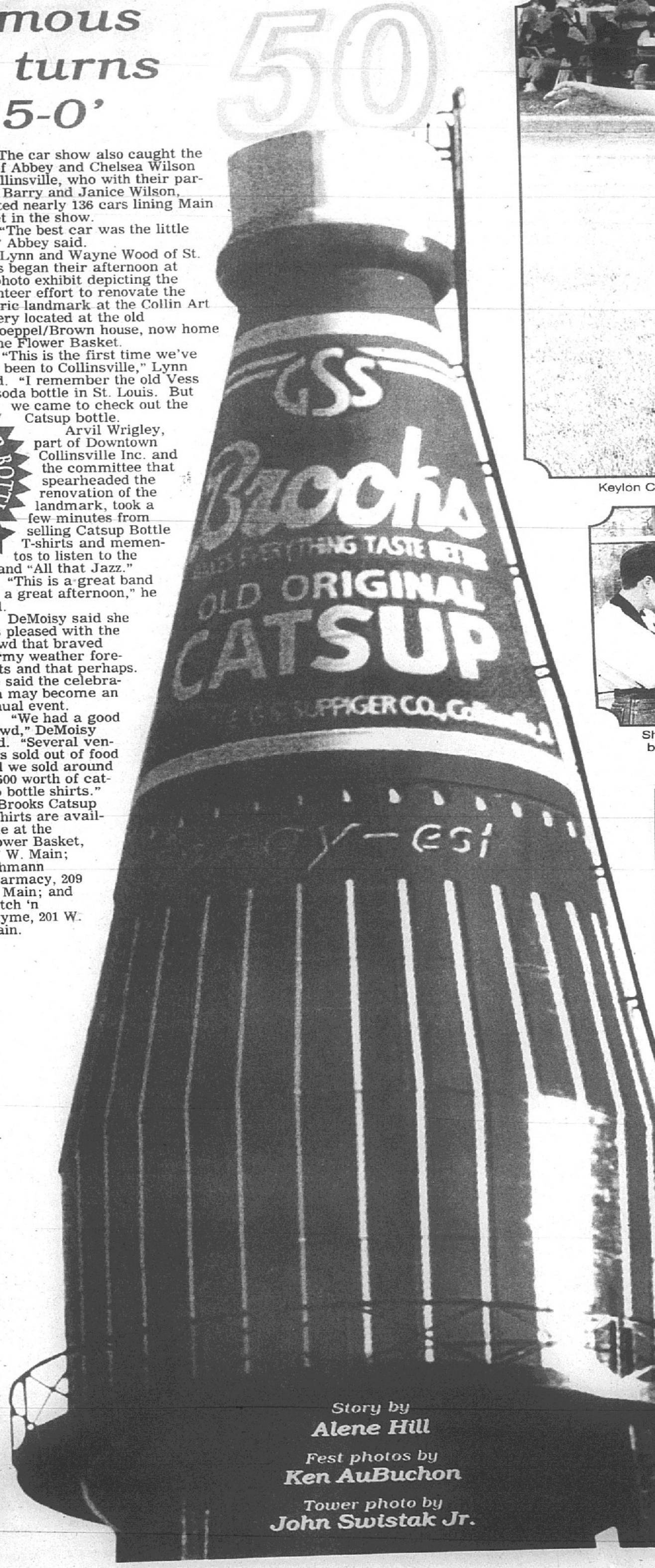
DeMoisy said she was pleased with the crowd that braved stormy weather forecasts and that perhaps. She said the celebration may become an annual event.

"We had a good crowd," DeMoisy said. "Several vendors sold out of food and we sold around $2,500 worth of catsup bottle shirts."

Brooks Catsup T-shirts are available at the Flower Basket, 317 W. Main; Ashmann Pharmacy, 209 E. Main; and Stitch 'n Thyme, 201 W. Main.



Tommy Tucker of the group "All That Jazz" plays the Cornet.



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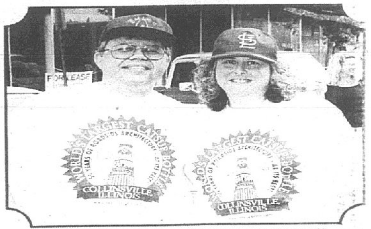
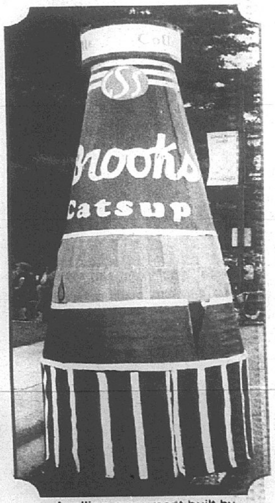
Keylon Coderrf, 6, of Collinsville tries the hula hoop.

Shellee Graham of St. Louis looks at photos of the bottle restoration on display at the Flower Basket.



Jim and Deb Pulley of Collinsville show off their official catsup bottle shirts.



A rolling monument built by Wade McCormick of Collinsville.

Marriage licenses

The following marriage licenses were issued by the office of Madison County Clerk Mark Von Nida:

Peter Ardison III and Kimberly Ardison, both of Troy.

Timothy Arth and Mika Terry, both of Glen Carbon.

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James Gibson of Florissant, Mo., and Amy Kraus of Glen Carbon.

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Brent Kraus of O'Fallon and Elizabeth Heckes of Granite City.

Terry Langley of Shelbina, Mo., and Linda Howard of Rapid City, S.D.

Lucas Lenhardt and Melissa Totten, both of East Alton.

Daniel Linder and Billie Palmer, both of Wood River.

Timothy Lovett and Laura Nelson, both of Collinsville.

Marty Lowry Jr. of Ballwin, Mo., and Kelley Schirmer of Ballwin.

Shawn Markins and Lisa Varner, both of Wood River.

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Robert Pancratz and Viola Magee, both of Worden.

Alberto Perez and Charity Plum, both of Rockford.

Edward Perez Jr. and Stephanie Fleming, both of Granite City.

Ronnie Perry of Alton and Trezel Brown of Godfrey.

Travis Pickett of Reedsburg, Wis., and Crystal Lynch of Collinsville.

Denny Pollard and Crystal Bertrand, both of Alton.

Charles Powell and Katheryn Richmond, both of Granite City.

Timothy Presley and Agatha Mielke, both of Bethalto.

Joseph Price of Maryville, and Lori Bloomquist of Alhambra.

David Pritchett and Andria Butler, both of Granite City.

Michael Reed Jr. and Alicia Greathouse, both of Cottage Hills.

Daniel Rhodes of Worden, and Darlene Cresto of Staunton.

Patrick Roison of Trenton and Amber Infante of Dorsey.

Amadeo Avalos and Tiffany Kass, both of Granite City.

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David Simpson and Toni Ephrem, both of Collinsville.

Jason Skelton and Jennifer Wolf, both of Wood River.

Kevin Slaten of Godfrey and Melissa Ewell of Bethalto.

Anthony Sternberg and Judith Stapels, both of Marine.

Barney Stewart and Melissa Cherry, both of Cottage Hills.

Timothy Strawn of Alton and Diane Walker of Cahokia.

Darrell Sullivan and Karen Homer, both of Collinsville.

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The ever-popular mum has long been the center-stage attraction in gardens throughout the country. Its brilliance is a tough act to follow. The mum brings the gardening season to a close unlike any other flower.

There are new hybrid varieties of mums available today, and they're noted for both early bloom and winter hardiness. The season of bloom has been significantly increased. People in northern climates can now enjoy the beauty that mums provide.

Although there are new varieties, the mum itself is hardly the new kid on the block. They've been used in gardens of China since before 550 B.C. Most of the species are native to China, Japan or Europe.

The mum (chrysanthemum, actually, but since that's a lengthy word, we'll use mum), is a large genus of annual and perennial herbs belonging to the Aster family. Some species, such as pyrethrum and shasta daisy, bear ornamental flowers even during the summer months. The most famous of all, the garden mum, is the showiest of all fall blossoms. Its flowers are pleasantly musk scented, and the garden mum is available in many sizes.

Here are some tips to help you enjoy your mums to the max.

Mums have hearty appetites. They require plenty of plant food to attain maximum development. Liberal quantities of manure or compost should be added to the flower bed before planting them.

In sunny, well-drained locations, individual specimens set at 2-foot intervals become masses of bloom when little else remains, since mums are late-season bloomers. They're also able to withstand light frosts. The taller varieties can enhance garden borders quite well, while the low growers are fine as edging, in urns and tubs, rock gardens or foundation plantings next to evergreens.

Most taller mums are superb for cutting. Their flowers will last two or three weeks in water, but the leaves should be removed from the submerged portion of the stem.

Mums are also excellent when arranged with fall foliage or berried branches.

Thousands of mum cultivars have been developed, and classification of the many types is based mainly on flower form and growth habit.

Cushion: The dwarf hardy spreading type.
Decorative: The most common garden variety. Petals are regularly or irregularly reflexed. The flowers are an inch and a half to several inches across, with the petals varying in length.
Pompon: The flowers are usually spherical and not over 4 inches across. Some have curved petals in the center of the flower head.
Spoon: The disk florets (those that form the central "eye") are rather flat, while the ray florets (those that form the "petals") are regularly arranged and spoon-shaped.
Single and Daisy-flowered:
The disk florets form a daisy-like "eye" in the center, while the ray or petal-like florets are arranged in not more than five rows.

While mums are great, they're not perfect, but not much is. They're not immune to diseases, especially in crowded or starved plants. Try to provide plenty of room for your plants, with good air and adequate sunlight. You'll definitely increase their chances for a long, healthy life.

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Ford takes new approach to small-car segment

By Tom Strongman

Come fall, Ford's small-car lineup will have a new Focus.

This tall, short car with an unusual name, new-edge styling and a spacious interior will become Ford's primary small car when it goes on sale this fall. It went on sale in Europe last fall and was chosen the European Car of the Year. In May it was Britain's best-selling car.

It is available as a three-door hatchback, four-door sedan and four-door station wagon, each with a distinct personality and an individual target market.

The Escort station wagon has been discontinued, and the Escort sedan will be offered in one simplified model intended for budget and fleet use. The Escort ZX2 coupe continues.

Ford recently announced that Focus base prices will range from $12,280 for the ZX3 hatchback with single-disc CD player and 15-inch wheels to $15,580 for the fully loaded ZTS sedan.

According to Ford's press material, the Focus is "designed around people," which explains its high profile. Focus has a 103-inch wheelbase yet is 56.3 inches tall. Compared to the Escort, it is 3 inches taller and its wheelbase is 4.6 inches longer, yet overall length is nearly identical. Inside, it is larger in nearly every dimension. Rear-seat legroom is 3 inches greater. Total passenger volume is 107 cubic feet vs. 87.2 for the Escort. It casts roughly the same shadow as the Escort but has about 20 percent more interior volume.

A key element in improving passenger comfort as well as interior volume comes by using a higher hip pivot point (H-point). In other words, sitting in the Focus is more like sitting in a kitchen chair than a chaise lounge. The upright seating position makes it easier to get in and out, frees up rear-seat legroom and creates what Ford calls a "command post" driving position.

The Focus also comes equipped with dedicated ISOFIX child safety seat attachments. This new system allows car seats to be plugged into the vehicle tightly for better protection.

Two 2.0-liter engines are available, one with 110 horsepower and one with 130 horsepower. The 110-horsepower engine, a single-overhead-cam design with two valves per cylinder and split-port induction, is lighter and smoother, according to Ford.

The more powerful ZETEC engine, with four valves per cylinder and dual overhead cams, is similar to the engine used in the Contour and Escort ZX2. Ford says, however, that this engine has been upgraded to reduce noise, vibration and harshness.

Both engines are available with either a five-speed manual or four-speed automatic transmission.

The Focus was designed to be fun to drive, according to Ford, and to that end a stiff and light body structure was put in place as a foundation. A fully independent, multi-link rear suspension is employed for both a comfortable ride and responsive handling, according to the company's press material. Ventilated disc brakes, with optional anti-lock, are used at all four wheels.

Judging from photographs, the interior design appears to be as fresh as the outside. The instrument panel is dominated by swooping curves and bold geometric shapes. Controls have been placed so they are easy to reach, and some can be identified by their feel alone. Knobs are covered in rubber, and push/pull switches use silicon pads to squelch noise. An optional tilt-and-telescoping steering wheel is offered.

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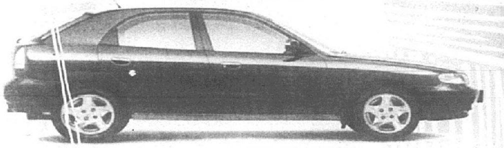

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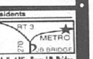

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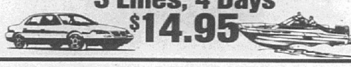

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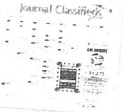

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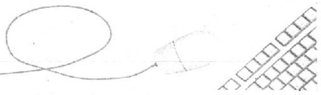

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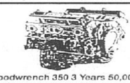

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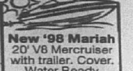

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Changing conditions worldwide make forecasting weather a challenge

By Barbara Ponder
Correspondent

Severe weather is a mixed blessing for a meteorologist.

On the one hand, no one likes bad weather. On the other hand, working through volatile weather conditions is exciting.

"You want to get it right and it's always changing," said John Fuller, a broadcast meteorologist with KSDK-Channel 5. "You constantly have to be focused. When it's finally over, your exhausted."

A thick skin and realistic attitude are required for most meteorologists.

"Even when your right, you're wrong because it (severe weather) is not what they want to hear and endure," Fuller said. "And you're not going to be right all the time. And when you're wrong, you deserve a dose of humble pie."

Meteorology, the study of the atmosphere, is used in air pollution control, agriculture, air and sea transportation, defense, and the study of climatic trends like global warming or ozone depletion.

As a broadcast meteorologist, Fuller analyzes weather charts from up-to-date forecasts and creates related graphics. The graphics, which form the backdrop during the broadcast, can be tricky to use. The meteorologist, who refers to and points at the graphics, actually sees only a blank wall.

"It takes probably six months to get fairly comfortable with that," Fuller said. "And there are tricks that you can employ."

Conditions in the northern hemisphere, even in far off spots like northern Africa, can impact on our weather.

"The patterns are always changing," Fullers said. "The technique is improving and the accuracy is improving overall. The challenge is trying to be right as much as possible."

Some meteorologists opt for careers in research. They develop new tools for forecasting weather, analyze weather patterns in specific areas and studying methods to control air pollution.

Fuller's first job after graduating with a bachelor's degree in meteorology from Pennsylvania State University was with the Michigan Department of Natural Resources.

"We would do computer model simulations to see if industrial sources would meet state and federal air quality standards before we would issue a permit," he said. "And if it didn't meet the standards according to the model or computer simulation, we would suggest they modify the process."

According to the Bureau of Labor Statistics Occupational Outlook Handbook, the federal government employs about four of every 10 meteorologists. Most of those work for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, which includes the National Weather Service. The Department of Defense also employs meteorologists.

The University of Missouri-Columbia offers bachelor's, master's and doctorate programs in atmospheric science. St. Louis University offers bachelor's, master's and doctorate programs in meteorology. A master's degree or a doctorate usually is required for research positions.

"I recommend taking computer science classes in college," Fuller said. "We have at least six computers here in the weather center."

Unpaid internships at television and radio stations, the National Weather Service or private consulting companies can provide valuable experience. Although he knew from the onset that meteorology was for him, Fuller originally planned to teach.

"But the market was flooded with teachers," he said. "I knew I wanted to do something that would be imparting information and it (broadcast meteorology) is sort of like teaching on the air."

Fuller of Wildwood, who joined KSDK in 1983, is a frequent speaker in classrooms and before groups.

Meteorologists working in research positions generally work standard hours. Shifts vary in broadcast meteorology according to the person's broadcast schedule and ho[illegible] may increase when weathe[illegible] changing.

Fuller appears during the noon, 6 and 6:30 p.m. newscasts.

Salaries for broadcast meteorologists generally begin in the mid-teens. Those at the top in the broadcast field - and there's only a few of those positions - can command up to $500,000 annually.

Entry level positions with the federal government begin at about $19,500 annually. Federal meteorologists top out at about $42,900.

Among meteorologists, global warming is a hotly contested issue. Some believe man has prompted the warming trend; others contend it is a natural cycle.

"I feel that it's a natural cycle and that man does have an impact by massive clearing and burning of the amazon and development," Fuller said. "But as long as we don't shock nature to the point of no return then it has checks and balances that will overcome our impact."

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John Fuller has been a meteorologist with KSKD-Channel 5 since 1983.

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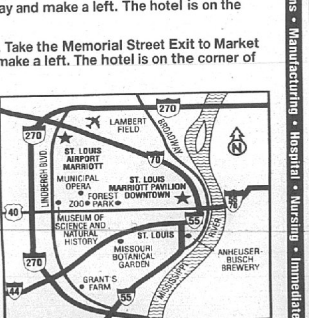

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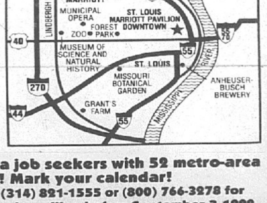

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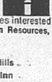

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10:30 PM Household
1:00 PM Real Estate

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REAL ESTATE: 2 BR, 1 Bath, Full Basement, House & Extra Lot, Taxes $638
TERMS: 10% down day of sale remainder due within 30 days.
78 Ford Truck (new rebuilt engine), Refrigerator, Stove, Kitchen Table, Full Size Bed Set, 2 Entertainment Centers, Console TV, Fan, B/W TV, Coffee & End Tables, Avon, Upright Freezer, Washer & Elec. Dryer, 2 Air Compressors, 10sp & 15sp Bikes, Baskets, Lamps, Corner China Cabinet, Chest, Dresser w/Mirror, Milk Glass, Much, Much More!!!
All announcements day of sale take precedence over printed material.
Terry "Bones" & Luke Allan
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AUCTION

216 Marie
Collinsville, IL
Sun., Aug. 29, 1999
11:00 AM Household
1:00 PM Real Estate

S on Keebler from Beltline Rd., 2nd Right is Marie.
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TERMS: $2,000 down day of sale, remainder due within 30 days.
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COLOSSAL HOOPS CLASSIFIEDS 7

Q. Which school represents the Missouri Valley Conference in the 1999 Hoop & Quill Classic?
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COLOSSAL HOOPS CLASSIFIEDS 1

Q. What High School did the Philadelphia 76ers' sensational rookie Larry Hughes attend?
A. CHRISTIAN BROTHERS COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL., St. Louis, MO

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice of Proposed Change in Schedule

To patrons of Illinois Power Company:

The Illinois Power Company hereby gives notice to the public that it has filed with the Illinois Commerce Commission proposed revisions to its Schedule of Rates for Electric Service, Ill. C. C. No. 31. Illinois Power Company proposes to revise Service Classification 37, Direct Energy Access Service.

Customers should be advised that the Commission may alter or amend the tariffs after hearing held pursuant to 83 Illinois Administrative Code 200.

All parties interested in these matters may obtain information with respect thereto either directly from the Company or by addressing the Chief Clerk of the Illinois Commerce Commission, 527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield, Illinois 62794.

ILLINOIS POWER COMPANY
by Gary R. Shannahan
Manager-Regulatory Services
P.O. Box 511
Decatur, Illinois 62525

MC#116 8/22, 8/29

CLAIM NOTICE
STATE OF ILLINOIS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT
MADISON COUNTY - IN PROBATE
IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF JOSEPHINE D. JEFFERS, DECEASED
NO: 99-P-484

Notice is hereby given of the death of Josephine D. Jeffers on July 22, 1999.

Date Letters of were issued: August 11, 1999

Executor: Thomas Guimont
418 Keepataw Drive
Lemont, Illinois 60439-4341

Attorneys: Lueders, Robertson & Konzen
1939 Delmar, Avenue
Granite City, Illinois 62040

Claims against the estate may be filed with the Clerk of the Circuit Court for the Third Judicial Circuit, Probate Division, at the Madison County Courthouse in Edwardsville, Illinois, on or before February 18, 2000, being a date not less than six (6) months from the date of the first publication of this Notice; and any claim not so filed on or before said date is barred as to all of Decedent's Estate. Also copies of claims must be mailed or delivered to the Executor above designated.

GC#394 8/15, 8/22, 8/29

ANNUAL TREASURER'S REPORT NAMEOKI TOWNSHIP ROAD DISTRICT FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1999

REVENUE SUMMARY: Property Tax -219,827.82, Replacement Tax-52,979.12, Interest Income - - 2,502.59, Motor Fuel Tax-40,000.00, Village of Pontoon-57,665.17, Miscellaneous-6,360.42

TOTAL REVENUES: 379,335.15

EXPENDITURE SUMMARY: Roswell Bennett, Jr. 29,387.25 - - Harold R. Denson 30,199.83 - - Sandra Ellis 21,771.92 - - Otis O'Brian 33,828.14 - Linda McKechan 9,240.00 - - Robert Sampson 29,013.85 – Randal Viessman 28,620.49 - - Edmund Wilkinson 10,112.54

TOTAL SALARIES: 192,174.02

EXPENDITURE SUMMARY: Amer. Comm. Mutual Ins. 1,373.33 - Ameritech 1,689.86 - Columbia Quarry Co. 3,674.00 - - Erb Equipment 1,636.15 - - Grimco, Inc. 1,200.02 - - Hopcroft Electric Inc. 1,908.16 - - Houser's Automotive 2,174.31 - - IL Dept. of Revenue 3,326.61 - - IL Power Co. 6,781.85 - - IMC Salt Co. 1,182.98 - - Jasper Engine 7,535.02 - - Kienstra 5,175.40 - - LaFarge Corp. 8,594.42 - - Lueders/Associates, Inc. 23,576.00 - - Maclair Asphalt 5,312.84 - - City of Madison 1,138.13 - - O'Brien Tire 3,258.79 - - Rich Oil Co. 7,948.24 - - Scheffel & Co. 1,025.00 - - Irvin Slate, Jr. 4,200.00 - - Teamsters & Employment Welfare 30,825.00 - - Woody's Municipal Supply 2,891.40 - - Travel Expense-Official 3,600.00 - - Soc. Sec. 14,701.32 - - IMRF 11,006.70 - - Disbursements less than $1,000.00 - 10,803.12

TOTAL VENDORS: 166,538.65

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF CONDITION
(EXCERPT FROM CONTROLLERS REPORT)

FUND BALANCE	TOTAL	GENERAL	SPECIAL REVENUE
(DEFICIT)			
REVENUE:	387,295		387,295
EXPENDITURES:	335,465		335,465
OTHER FINANCING: SOURCES & USES			
FUND BALANCE:	132,481		132,481

Subscribed and sworn to this 12th day of August
Ken Davis, Treasurer

I, Helen Hawkins, Clerk of Nameoki Township, Madison County, Illinois, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the annual Treasurer's Report for fiscal year ending February 28, 1999.

Helen M. Hawkins.

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BID NOTICE

The Venice Community School District #3 will be accepting bids for the following items:

1-Toshiba BD-7910 copier
1-Gould & Eberhardt 16" horizontal shaper

These items may be viewed at the Venice Lincoln Technical Center Monday through Friday from 8:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M. Items should be sold "as is" with no warranty. The successful bidder is responsible for removal from present location. Venice Community Unit School District #3 Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bid deadline 4:00 P.M. Wednesday, Sept. 8, 1999. Envelopes must be marked bid and sent or delivered to Superintendent, Venice Public Schools, 700 Broadway, Venice, IL 62090.

Bids will be publicly opened at the regularly scheduled school board meeting of Sept. 9, 1999 at 7:00 P.M.

GC #407 8/25 8/29 9/1

BID NOTICE

THE CITY OF GRANITE CITY, ILLINOIS WILL ACCEPT BIDS IN THE BUILDING ADMINISTRATORS OFFICE, 2060-B DELMAR, GRANITE CITY, ILLINOIS UNTIL 4:00 P.M. ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1999 FOR DEMOLITION OF THE FOLLOWING PROPERTIES:

2009-11 MISSOURI

THE BIDS WILL BE OPENED ON WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1999
ALL BIDDERS SHALL ADHERE TO MADISON COUNTY COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT SPECIFICATION.

GLEN R. HOLLIS, ADMINISTRATOR
BUILDING ZONING DEPARTMENT
GRANITE CITY, ILLINOIS

#402GC 8-29

ANNUAL TREASURER'S REPORT NAMEOKI TOWNSHIP TOWN PURPOSES FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 28, 1999

REVENUE SUMMARY: Property Tax - 199,819.76, Replacement Tax-68,055.27, State Grants - 3,703.00, Interest - 10,191.01, Fines - 1,217.75, Miscellaneous-1,450.76

TOTAL REVENUES: 284,437.55

EXPENDITURE SUMMARY: Harold E. Briggs 2,565.00 - - Ken Davis 19,391.30 - - Tamara Fleig 18,480.00 - - Helen Hawkins 9,645.72 - - Steve Isenburg 4,697.50 - - Joyce Jochino 11,295.03 - - Charles Luehmann 2,565.00 - - Carl Macios 16,246.36 - - JoAnn Machios 17,700.08 - - Loren Madison 17,804.88 - - Linda McKechon 9,240.00 - - Pete Novacich 2,565.00 - - Edgar Patrick 2,565.00 - - Randall Presswood 3,000.00 - - Nelda Reed 8,729.00 - - JoAnn Ruiz 11,320.00 - - Louis Zezoff, Jr. 2,004.00 - - Betty Ridgeway 6,141.60 - Janet Davis 19,520.00

TOTAL SALARIES: 185,475.47

EXPENDITURE SUMMARY: Amer. Comm. Mutual Ins. 6,138.41 - Ameritech 2,970.47 - Clarke Mosquito Control 6,211.17 - - Theresa Cross 1,250.00 - Environment Recycling 1,891.60 - Gateway 2,099.43 - IL Power CO. 8,608.33 - - Lueders/Associates, Inc. 6,436.00 - Jim Luesse 1,155.00 - Madison County Treas. 1,230.03 - Providence Occupational Health 2,210.00 - Provident Life Ins 1,004.25 - Scheffel & Co. 1,025.00 - Shop n Save 1,363.95 - Irvin Slate, Jr. 4,800.00 - Thomas Mfg. 1,764.57 - United Healthcare 1,586.12 - Westgate Apts. 1,500.00 - Travel & Convention Expense-Officials 19,094.00 - Soc. Sec. 14,188.87 - IMRF 8,161.63 - Disbursements less than $1,000.00 - 25,055.05

TOTAL VENDORS: 119,743.88

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF CONDITION
(EXCERPT FROM CONTROLLERS REPORT)

FUND BALANCE	TOTAL	GENERAL	SPECIAL REVENUE
(DEFICIT)			
REVENUE:	331,001	222,625	108,376
EXPENDITURES:	323,283	222,762	100,521
OTHER FINANCING: SOURCES & USES			
FUND BALANCE:	297,745	97,671	200,074

Subscribed and sworn to this 12th day of August
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Helen M. Hawkins

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT MADISON COUNTY EDWARDSVILLE, ILLINOIS

AMERIQUEST MORTGAGE COMPANY F/K/A LONG BEACH MORTGAGE COMPANY
PLAINTIFF
vs.) No. 99 CH - 48
YUNG SOOK CHANDLER A/K/A YUNG SOOK BROOKS; UNKNOWN OWNERS AND NONRECORD CLAIMANTS: KEITH BROOKS; UNKNOWN HEIRS AND LEGATEES OF YUNG SOOK BROOKS;
DEFENDANTS

NOTICE BY PUBLICATION

NOTICE IS GIVEN TO YOU:

Unknown Heirs and Legatees of Yung Sook Brooks

That this case has been commenced in this Court against you and other defendants, praying for the foreclosure of a certain Mortgage conveying the premises described as follows, to-wit:

LOT 27 IN FIRST ADDITION TO WILSON PARK ESTATES, A SUBDIVISION OF PART OF THE NORTHEAST QUARTER OF THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 7, TOWNSHIP 3 NORTH, RANGE 9 WEST OF THE THIRD PRINCIPAL MERIDIAN ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 37 PAGE 11 IN MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS COMMONLY KNOWN AS: 30 Wilson Parkway Drive, Granite City, IL 62040

and which said Mortgage was made by:

Yung Sook Chandler a/k/a Yung Sook Brooks

the Mortgagor(s), to Long Beach Mortgage Company, as Mortgagee, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Madison County, Illinois, as Document No. 2246 14/Book 4098 Pg 39; and for other relief; that summons was duly issued out of said Court against you as provided by law and that the said suit is now pending. NOW, THEREFORE, UNLESS YOU file your answer or otherwise file your appearance in this case in the Office of the Clerk of this Court.

Matt Melucci
Clerk of the Circuit Court
155 N. Main Street
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on or before September 28, 1999, A DEFAULT MAY BE ENTERED AGAINST YOU AT ANY TIME AFTER THAT DAY AND A JUDGMENT MAY BE ENTERED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE PRAYER OF SAID COMPLAINT.

WITNESS, August 20, 1999

Matt Melucci
Clerk of The Circuit Court)
BY: Melodie Smith
(Deputy)

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NOTE: PURSUANT TO THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT YOU ARE ADVISED THAT THIS LAW FIRM IS DEEMED TO BE A DEBT COLLECTOR ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION OBTAINED WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE.

#415GC 8/29, 9/05, 9/12

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LEGAL NOTICE

TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS OR DEVISEES OF KERRY D. TROBAUGH AND DENISE A. TROBAUGH; KERRY D. TROBAUGH, DENISE A. TROBAUGH; ASSOCIATES FINANCE INC.; AND UNKNOWN OWNERS OR PARTIES INTERESTED. A Petition for Tax Deed as Case No. 99-TX-84 Tr. 6 has been filed in the Circuit Court of MADISON County, Illinois on premises described below. On January 12, 2000 at 8:30 a.m., the Petitioner will make an application to such Court in Edwardsville for an order on the petition that a Tax Deed be issued if the real estate is not redeemed from sale. The real estate is described by Certificate No. (s) 22-032049 and by Permanent Index No. (s) 22-2-20-05-17-301-033 of MADISON County, Illinois and was sold on January 8, 1997 for general taxes for the year 1995 and described as LOT 28 BLOCK 3 MELROSE ADDITION, ACCORDING TO THE PLAT THEREOF RECORDED IN PLAT BOOK 15 AT PAGE 9 OF THE RECORDER'S OFFICE OF THE MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS; SITUATED IN GRANITE CITY, MADISON COUNTY, ILLINOIS. The period of redemption will expire on December 29, 1999.

Lawrence O. Taliana
Attorney for Petitioner
216 N. Main St.
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JN#209 8/15, 8/22, 8/29

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LEGAL NOTICE

TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS OR DEVISEES OF HENRITE HENDERSON AND SANDRA HENDERSON; HENRITE HENDERSON; SANDRA HENDERSON; AND UNKNOWN OWNERS OR PARTIES INTERESTED. A Petition for Tax Deed as Case No. 99-TX-84 Tr. 5 has been filed in the Circuit Court of MADISON County, Illinois on premises described below. On January 12, 2000 at 8:30 a.m., the Petitioner will make an application to such Court in Edwardsville for an order on the petition that a Tax Deed be issued if the real estate is not redeemed from sale. The real estate is described by Certificate No. (s) 21-037585 and by Permanent Index No. (s) 21-2-19-36-11-202-017 of MADISON County, Illinois and was sold on January 7, 1997 for general taxes for the year 1995 and described as Lots 125 and 126 in Williams Subdivision, a subdivision in U.S. Survey 723 Claim 103 and 104 in Township 3 North, Range 10 West of the Third principal Meridian, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 22 Page 25, in Madison County, Illinois. Situated in Madison, Madison County, Illinois. The period of redemption will expire on December 29, 1999.

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JN#208 8/15, 8/22, 8/29

PUBLIC NOTICE
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TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS OR DEVISEES OF JAMES ALTON BRADLEY, THELMA A. BRADLEY, JERRY L. STUCKER, AUGUSTA BRADLEY, GARRY A. BRADLEY AND N.E. BROWN; JAMES ALTON BRADLEY; THELMA A. BRADLEY; JERRY L. STUCKER; AUGUSTA BRADLEY; GARRY A. BRADLEY; N.E. BROWN; AND UNKNOWN OWNERS OR PARTIES INTERESTED. A Petition for Tax Deed as Deed as Case No. 99-TX-84 Tr. 1 has been filed in the Circuit Court of MADISON County, Illinois on premises described below. On January 12, 2000 at 8:30 a.m., the Petitioner will make an application to such Court in Edwardsville for an order on the petition that a Tax Deed be issued of the real estate is not redeemed from sale. The real estate is described by Certificate No. (s) 17-051129 and by Permanent Index No. (s) 17-2-20-30-18-301-040 of MADISON County, Illinois and was sold on January 7, 1997 for general taxes for the year 1995 and described as Lot 28 in Block 9 Amended Plat of Cloverleaf Addition to Madison, as shown in Plat Book 7 at Page 29 recorded in the Recorder's Office in Madison County, Illinois. Situated in Madison, Madison County, Illinois. The period of redemption will expire on December 29, 1999.

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JN#205 8/15, 8/22, 8/29

PUBLIC NOTICE
LEGAL NOTICE

TO: UNKNOWN HEIRS OR DEVISEES OF MARCUS BUSH, GERALD MOSS, WILLIAM JEROME DAWSON AND NORA LEE MOSS; MARCUS BUSH, GERALD MOSS; NORA LEE MOSS; WILLIAM JEROME DAWSON; ALURT TRUCK LEASING INC.; MADISON DEVELOPMENT COMPANY INC.; MELLO BRIGHT INDUSTRIES INC.; MADISON COUNTY STATES ATTORNEY; AND UNKNOWN OWNERS OR PARTIES INTERESTED. A Petition for Tax Deed as Case No. 99-TX-84 Tr. 4 has been filed in the Circuit Court of MADISON County, Illinois on premises described below. On January 12, 2000 at 8:30 a.m., the Petitioner will make an application to such Court in Edwardsville for an order on the petition that a Tax Deed be issued if the real estate is not redeemed from sale. The real estate is described by Certificate No. (s) 21-023023, 21-023049, 21-023064, 21-023072 & 21-023577 and by Permanent Index No. (s) 21-2-19-25-18-301-030, 21-2-19-25-18-301-032, 21-2-19-25-18-301-034, 21-2-19-25-18-301-035 and 21-2-19-25-19-401-042 of MADISON County, Illinois and was sold on January 7, 1997 for general taxes for the year 1995 and described as Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 30, 31,32, 33, 34, 37, 43, 44 and the East On-Half of Lot 42, in Block 1, Addition Number 2 to Madison, according to the plat therof recorded in Plat Book 5, page 38, of the Recorder's Office of Madison County, Illinois; excepting therefrom the rear 7 1/2 feet dedicated to the Village of Madison for public use for alley purposes as set forth instrument dated April 28, 1913, recorded May 5, 1913, in Book 388, page 594. Situated in Madison, Madison County, Illinois. The period of redemption will expire on December 29, 1999.

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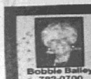
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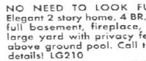

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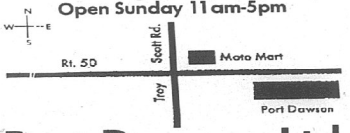

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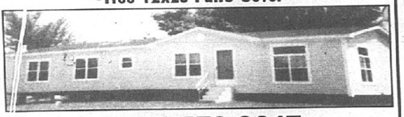

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On The HOUSE

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Perils Of Prolonging

Sally is a saver. Started with pennies. Progressed to paper money. Has accumulated a nice little nest egg. Planning it for the purchase of a home.

Sally's tastes are simple but selective. All she wants is a separate dining room, three or four bedrooms, a fireplace, and a walk-out basement. And trees. Lots of trees. And privacy. And an upscale neighborhood. And maybe a swimming pool. And convenient access to the highway. And of course, proximity to the shopping mall. All at a pocket book friendly price.

Miraculously Sally's real estate agent has accomplished the impossible. Over the many months she has been working with Sally, her agent has found several homes that perfectly fit Sally's 'wants' list. Yet Sally has made a purchase offer on none. Uses the minutest of excuses to avoid doing so.

Why?

Sally is guilty of a common disease among buyers. The 'better buy' bug. Fear that something better will be coming just around the corner. If they buy this one they will miss that one.

The consequences? Action paralysis. A purchase offer never will be put on paper as long as a buyer's actions the market. But buyers with Sally's mind set never will own one.

The cure? A little self analysis and motive examination.

First, Sally must accept the fact there is no such thing as the perfect house. Second, she must ask herself if fear of making a commitment is actually the deep rooted problem. The real cause of non-action.

Prolonging a purchase is an easy out when decision making and commitment are difficult for someone. It is also self defeating. The dream of home ownership will remain just that. A dream. Never a reality.

If you are suffering from the 'better buy' bug, time to rethink your rationale. Prolonging can be perilous. Remember, opportunity once lost never can be regained.

Rita Glastris, GRI, CRS, is a full time real estate agent serving the metropolitan area for over 16 years. She is a multi-million dollar producer, a member of her company's Excellence Club, and a Life Member of Missouri's Million Dollar Club.

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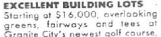

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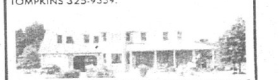

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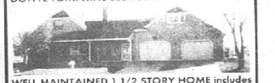

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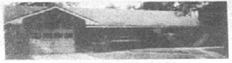

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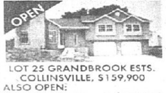

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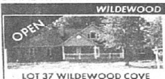

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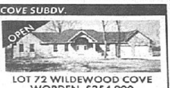

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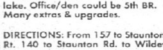

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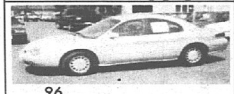

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